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EMPIRE CITY LINE FOR PANAMA.—The splendid steamship Sarah Sands, 1500 tons burthen, W. C. Thompson, commander, will leave for Panama, touching at Acapulco, on or about the 1st of May next. This ship is unsurpassed in her cabins for convenience and comfort, and every arrangement has been made on the most liberal scale. The steerage has been fitted with regard to the comfort of passengers. A separate table will also be spread for them. The Sarah Sands will be followed, on or about the 15th May, by the steamship New Orleans, of 1200 tons. The above ships will run in connection with the Atlantic boats, Crescent City and Empire City. Through tickets from san Francisco to New York, by way of Panama and Chagres. Rates of fare: San Francisco to Panama—First cabin $300; second cabin $150. Chagres to New York—After saloons $125; forward saloons $100; lower cabin $90. Passage and freight, through to New York, or to the intermediate ports, can be secured by application to Everett & co, Agents, iron store foot sacramento st. lvii tf

STEAMER SENATOR—Through to Butte City, "Trinity Diggins," Yuba City, Marysville and Linla. Shortest and most direct route to the mines.

The steamer Senator will leave as usual from her berth at Clark's Point, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons at 4 p. m., for Sacramento City—connecting there with the steamer Star for Butte City, the head of navigation on the Sacramento river, and only a short distance from the celebrated diggings on Trinity river; also with the steamers Linda and Lawrence, which proceed up the Feather and Yuba rivers to Linda City—the point most immediate to the mines.

The known speed of the Senator, and good accommodations of these steamers, renders this the shortest and most convenient route for persons going to the different mines.
Freight to Sacramento City $2 per 100 lbs.
Measurement goods.....75c. per foot.
Passage to and from Sacramento City $25.
For further particulars, apply to
Charles Minturn, Agent,
cxvii tf Broadway Hotel.

ASPINWALL'S Steam Transportation Line.—For Sacramento City, Yuba City, Marysville, Stockton and Tuolumne City.—Steamer Hartford leaves Clark's Point every *Monday* and *Friday*, at 6 o'clock, p. m., for Sacramento City, Yuba and Marysville.

Steamer El Dorado leaves Clark's Point every *Wednesday morning*, at 9 o'clock, for Sacramento City, Yuba City and Marysville.

Fare to Sacramento City.....$20 00
Thro' to Yuba and Marysville.. 35 00
Freight to Sacramento City.
Dry barrels, each..... 4 00
Wet " each..... 6 00
Heavy goods, per hundred lbs. 2 00
Measurement goods, per foot.. .75
Lumber, per thousand feet.... 50 00

The steamer Sacramento, of the above line, runs in connection with the Hartford from Sacramento City, and with the El Dorado from Yuba City to Marysville.

For Stockton and Tuolumne City—The steamer Captain Sutter leaves central wharf every *Tuesday* and *Friday*, at 4 o'clock, p. m., for Stockton, and connects with the steamer Georgina for Tuolumne City.

Prompt attention will be paid to all orders for freight left at the office, or on board the storeship Alcione.
James Blair, Agent,
cxxxi cA office, head central wharf.

DAY BOAT FOR Sacramento City.—The new and splendid steamer Gold Hunter, Capt. Couillard, will leave her berth at Clark's point, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for Sacramento city. The Gold Hunter has excellent accommodations, is entirely new, and was built expressly for the Sacramento river trade. She has two marine engines, and her well known speed will insure dispatch to passengers bound to the mines. Freight to Sacramento city, $2 per 100 lbs; measurement goods, 75 cents per foot. Passage, $25 to and from Sacramento city. For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board. cxliv tf

FOR ASTORIA, VICTORIA and Nesqually.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer Carolina, David Wood, commander, will be dispatched for the above places immediately after the arrival of the U. S. mail steamer Oregon from Panama.

The Carolina will proceed to Portland from Astoria if there is sufficient water in the river to allow of her doing so. For freight or passage apply to
Alfred Robinson, agent P. M. S. C.
cxlii tf foot sacramento st.

STEAMER McKIM. New Arrangement.—The steamer McKim, Capt. Chas J. Brenham, will hereafter leave for Sacramento city, from Clark's point, every Sunday and Thursday morning at 9 o'clk. Passage to Sacramento city $20; freight, Heavy goods, $2 per 100 lbs; measurement, 75 cts per foot. Passage and freight engaged through to the various towns on the Sacramento and Feather rivers.
cxxxvi tf Simmons, Hutchinson & co.

FOR STOCKTON—The steamer Wm. Robinson, Captain James Devoe, will leave central wharf on Monday and Thursday of each week, at 10 o'clock. Freight received on board Wednesday and Saturday, at the wharf.
cxxvii tf C. L. & D. L. Ross, Ag'ts.

FOR LAWSON'S Ranch, Butte city, and Intermediate landings—The steamer Lawrence will leave for Lawson's Ranch, (town of Benton,) Butte city, and intermediate landings, on Wednesday morning, the 22d inst., at 8 o'clock. Persons desirous of going to Deer creek, Trinity and Redding's diggings, will now have an opportunity of going direct. For freight or passage apply on board, or to
cxlvii n G. T. Weaver, Agent.

FOR TRINIDAD BAY and Trinity City—The fast sailing, new, A 1 clipper built schooner John Story, Capt. Nathan S. Ellis, having just returned from a very successful voyage to the above port, will positively leave for the same place on Wednesday, the 22d inst.

The above vessel having been prepared expressly for this trade, with superior accommodations, and Capt. Ellis being well acquainted with the whole coast, offer a very desirable and safe opportunity to passengers and shippers. Passengers and freight taken at the lowest rates. Apply to Gildemeester, de Fremery & co. corner of stockton st and Broadway, or to
A. J. Cost, Agent,
cxlvi tf Central wharf

FOR SALE—The new, fast sailing American schooner Monticello, copper fastened and coppered, burthen 75 tons, with her complete inventory.

Also, brandy and claret in casks and cases, champagne, sherry, port wine, hock, frontignau, syrup, kirshwasser, flour, planed lumber, shingles, lime, clothing, boots, &c, &c.

Also, to let, building lots and a house in montgomery street. Apply to
Hinrichsen, Reincke & co,
corner of Kearny and sacramento sts.
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FOR HUMBOLT BAY—The fas sailing brig Hungarian, Capt. Harwood, will leave for the above place with dispatch: has superior accommodations for cabin and steerage passengers. This is considered the nearest route to the gold mines on Trinity river. An experienced pilot is engaged. For freight or passage apply to N. Miller, Battery st, clark's point, or Annan & Lord,
cxliv tf montgomery st.

FOR VALPARAISO Direct—To sail on the 15th of June next, the fine, fast sailing Frouch ship Jules Cesar, Capt. Bernard, having superior accommodations, will take passengers, freight or treasure for the above port, or take a freight from any port of the Pacific ocean to Europe. For particulars apply to
De Boom, Vigneaux & Grisar,
cxlv ot foot of california street

FOR EUREKA, Humboldt Bay, and Shasta river—The fast running coppered and copper fastened schooner Patuxent, J. K. Terry, master, will leave as above, on Wednesday, 22d May. For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to Ogden & Haynes, over Simmons, Hutchinson & co.'s store, foot of clay street. cxlvi j

FOR *Valparaiso Direct*, Will be dispatched in a few days, the fine and fast sailing Brazilian bark Lysia, Machado, master, having superior accommodations for passengers. For freight or passage apply to Wm. Meyer & co.
cxlvii u Montgomery, near Jackson st.

For FREIGHT or CHARTER—The fine, fast sailing, A 1 bark Jennett, Ward, 196 tons register, having a large house on deck, for freight or passengers, is light draft water, and ready for sea. Apply on board at foot of Jackson street. cxlvi t*

FOR SANDWICH ISLANDS—The fast sailing brigantine Fawn, Bradbury, master, will be dispatched on the 23d inst. For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to
William Ladd,
cxlvi m Jackson st.

FOR CANTON, via the Sandwich Islands—The fast sailing French ship Chili, B. Ceirae, master, will sail between the 15th and 20th insts, for the above named ports. For freight or passage apply to [cxliii tf] Gosse & Espic.

FOR SYDNEY, via Honolulu and Lahaina, S. I.—The A 1 ship Lenaore will sail for the above ports, on the 25th inst. For freight or passage apply to
J. W. Hanson,
cxlv ca Jackson, near montgomery st.

FOR SALE, Freight or Charter—The fine, A 1 brig Seguin, only two years old, of 207 tons measurement, and in complete order for any voyage. Apply to
Winter & Latimer,
cxlvii u 279 montgomery st.

FOR MAZATLAN and San Blas, direct—The fast sailing Baltimore clipper bark Helen M. Fiedler, C. H. Denison, master, having been thoroughly overhauled and re coppered, will be dispatched for the above ports, on or about the 15th of May, prox. For freight or passage, having superior cabin accommodations, apply to the captain on board, or to F. P. Durando, foot of sacramento st, or to McKenzie, Thompson & co, Wardle's Buildings.

PARA MAZATLAN y San Blas—La muy velera barca Helen M Fiedler, su capitan C. H. Denison, saldra de este puerte, cerca las 10 de Mai. Por fleta o pasage, teniendo acomodidades muy escelentes veanse con su capitan abordo, o a F. P. Durando, calle de sacramento, McKenzie, Thompson y ca, Casas de Wardle.
cxxxii tf

FOR STOCKTON and Crescent Cities—The new steamer "Maunsel White," will commence her semi-weekly trips to the above places on Thursday, May 9th, at nine o'clock, from the end of long wharf. Notice of the regular days of leaving will be given hereafter. Freight received at our warehouse, clay st. wharf, free of expense, and passage secured on application to Simmons, Hutchinson & co., agents.
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ALL Masters of vessels under Hamburg colors arriving at this port, are hereby notified that they have to deposit their register and shipping articles at the Hamburg Consulate, Niantic warehouses, foot of clay street. San Francisco, May 9, 1850. Alfred Godeffroy,
cxli cA Hamburg Consul.

EXCHANGE FOR SALE.—The undersigned having perfected his arrangements in the United States, is prepared to furnish exchange on

Boston, Mass.	Detroit, Michigan.
Providence, R. I.	St. Louis, Missouri.
Hartford, Conn.	Springfield, Illinois
New Haven, do	Galena, do
Buffalo, N. Y.	Chicago, do
Albany, do	Quincy, do
City of N. Y.	Davenport, Iowa.
Trenton, N. J	Milwaukie, Wisc'n.
Philadelphia, Pa.	Baltimore, Md.
Pittsburgh, do	Washington, D. C.
Harrisburg, do	Richmond, Va.
Lancaster, do	Norfolk, do
Reading, do	Charleston, S. C
Pottsville, do	Columbia, do
Cincinnati, Ohio.	Savannah, Georgia.
Columbus, do	Augusta, do
Cleveland, do	Mobile, Alabama.
Louisville, Ky	Natchez, Miss.
Lexington, do	New Orleans, La.
Nashville, Tenn.	Sacramento City.
Memphis, do	Pueblo de San Jose.

Gold dust forwarded and insured to New York. Sight drafts on New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore.
Henry M. Naglee.
Banking House, 280 montgomery
xcvii tf street.

MOFFAT & CO'S COIN! Exchanged, *at par*, in the city of New York, as well as at their counter, on presentation. We call the attention of the public to the following letter from Messrs. Beebee Ludlow & co, the heaviest bullion dealers in America, just received by the steamer Tennessee, the original of which may be seen at their office Moffat & co.
san Francisco, April 16, 1850.

Office of Beebee Ludlow & Co., Bullion and Exch'e Bankers, 49 Wall st. New York, Feb. 21, 1850.

Messrs. Moffat & Co., San Francisco—Gents: We will take your *coin* and *ingots of gold*, at their *par value*, according to your assay, and pay in *American gold*, on presentation in New York.
In haste, yours truly,
cxxi tf Beebee Ludlow & Co.

REMITTANCES of *Gold Dust, Coin* and *Bullion*, to any part of *New England* covered by policies of insurance from the *Manufacturers Insurance Company, Boston*, made by each steamer, on the most favorable terms. Also—Drafts for sale in sums to suit purchasers, by
Simmons, Lilly & Co.,
lii tf sacramento street.

INSURANCE on gold dust through Gregory's Express, to the United States by every steamer. Drafts on sight in sums to suit. A special messenger leaves on the 15th, in the steamship Isthmus, who will promptly execute any business orders.
Joseph W. Gregory, Proprietor.
Clark's Point, san Francisco.
John C. Thompson, agent, 69 Pearl st, New York. cxli tf

JAMES KING, of William, has removed for the present, to the yellow brick store of messrs. Robert Wells & co, on montgomery street. tf

BILLS of Exchange on New York for sale by ALFRED ROBINSON
xxviii tf

TRINITY CITY.—*On the River.* A good vessel will be dispatched immediately. For freight and passage, apply to
Selim Franklin, Washington st,
cxxix tf 4th store below montgomery.

LUMBER. 250 M. clear, seasoned Eastern one inch boards, dressed, from 11 to 30 feet in length; can be delivered from afloat or on shore. Apply at the lumber yard, north beach, foot of Dupont st, or to Sage & Smith, montgomery st, opposite Burgoyne & co. lxxvii tf

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE For Sale—The undersigned design moving into their new warehouse, building at the foot of sacramento street, and offer for sale either or both the stores now occupied by them, with or without the stock of goods in them
Simmons, Lilly & Co.,
cxxi tf sacramento and sansome streets

CARGO of ship Chili. Gosse & Espic received from France, claret wine in casks, barrels and boxes; brandy in bbls cordials; vinegar; Havana cigars, &c., &c They have on hand a stock of French and Spanish goods. xcix tf

STORES & Dwellings at low rents. Lumber and houses for sale. China goods and fresh teas. Osborn & Brannan.
We have a rare stock ofchinese curiosities. cxxxvii tf

WANTED to charter 5000 tons good seaworthy vessels, from 300 to 70 tons each, for Callao, to load guano for U States or Great Britain. Apply to
ov tf Finley, Johnson & co. central wharf

BUILDING MATERIALS. Lumber—every variety; bricks, cement, marble mantles, windows, window glass, nails, zinc, lime, &c. for sale by
8 co Macondray & co.

BACKUS & HARRISON, Auctioneers have taken the store on Montgomery street, next door to Messrs. Osborne & Brannan, where they will transact their business as usual. 7 tf

PARTIES desirous of contracting for Oregon round or hewn Timber, of any size, deliverable either in san Francisco, or at Puget's Sound, can do so, by applying to the subscribers. Endicott, Greene & Oakes, First st, near Market lxxxix tf

STORAGE—Merchandise of all descriptions received on storage and commission at low rates, by
Endicott, Greene & Oakes,
cvii First street, near Market

GIN—Genuine Scheidam, and Booth's English "Old Tom," in one, two and three doz cases. [cxxiv tf] Porter & co

SQUARE Timber for sale—Of all sizes, from 6x6 to 12x12, just arrived from Oregon, per brig Sarah McFarland, and will be sold low to clear the brig of cargo. Inquire of G. H. Beach,
cxli tf sacramento st.

GROAT & HOLMES, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law have removed their office to Burgoyne's old banking house, Montgomery st. near Jackson st. 8 tf

FURNITURE—Sofas, divans, centre tables, bureaus, chairs, bedsteads, &c, &c. For sale by
Bingham, Reynolds, Bartlett & co,
cxlvii u cor sansome st, and Broadway.

COPARTNERSHIP Notice—John Middleton of Philadelphia, and John M. Hood of New York, have associated themselves together, under the firm of Middleton & Hood, for the purpose of transacting a general Auction and Commission business in this city, and have taken the large, fire proof, brick store of C. L. Ross, corner of Washington and montgomery sts.
John Middleton,
John M. Hood.

References—Messrs. Spofford, Tillotson & co, Daniel Curtis & co, Pills & co, auctioneers, New York; Wm. Tucker & Rice & Mason, Boston; Myers, Claghorn & co, Robert Patterson & co, James Page, Esq., Philadelphia. cxl cA

NOTICE Arnold Woolerton has withdrawn from the concern of McKinley & co, having sold out on the 28th of March, A.D. 1850, all his right, title and interest therein to Alfred Edmonston, who is admitted into, and has become a member of said firm in the place and stead of said Woolerton. The business of the present concern will be carried on under the same style as heretofore, and will adjust and settle all accounts due by the previous concern. Dated, san Francisco, May 3, 1850.
J. J. Chauviteau,
F. McKinley,
Arnold Woolerton,
cxxxvii Alfred Edmonson.

THE interest of Mr. N. E. Smith in the firms of F. Vassault & Co., san Francisco, and Smith, Bensley & co. Sacramento City, ceases from this date: he having disposed of the same to Mr. M. S. Martin and Wm. F. Rocloffson, who are admitted as partners. The business will be continued hereafter under the style of
F. Vassault & co.,
san Francisco.
xcvii Starr, Bensley & co.,
Sacramento City.
san Francisco, march 9, 1850.

COPARTNERSHIP Notice.—Henry S. Fitch having associated with him James M. Lemon, the general auction and commission business will hereafter be conducted under the firm of Fitch & co., at the store formerly occupied by H. S Fitch, on montgomery street, between clay and Washington streets. A share of public patronage is most respectfully solicited.
Henry S. Fitch,
James M. Lemon.
san Francisco, April 22, '50. cxxvi tf

DISSOLUTION of Partnership. The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of A. Hughes, Pioche & co., in san Francisco, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. A. Hughes having retired, the business will continue under the firm of Pioche & Bayerque.
san Francisco, March 3, 1850.
lxxxvi tf

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE—We, the undersigned, assignees of Messrs. Ward & co. appointed by an assignment bearing date on the 18th March, inst, hereby give notice to the creditors of said Ward & co. to present a statement of their claims to James C. Ward, at the store of R. Wells & co, on montgomery street. Those who are indebted to the firm are particularly requested to make immediate payment.
James C. Ward,
Talbot H. Green,
Geo. H. Howard.

P S. Many of the papers of Ward & co. having been destroyed at the late fire, creditors are requested to furnish written statements of their claims to the assignees as above. cxliii co

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE—We, the undersigned, having been appointed assignees of Mr. John A. Clark, by an assignment bearing date 24th April, inst., hereby give notice of the same and request all persons indebted to the said John A. Clark, to make immediate payment. And those having claims, will please present a statement of the same to Hervey Sparks & co., at their office, Gothic Hall, corner of montgomery and Jackson streets.
Hervey Sparks, } Assignees.
J. Stoll Cronise, }
cxxviii tf

NOTICE—Having seen an advertisement signed H. M. Naglee, referring to certain property on montgomery street, this is to notify the public that said property *does* belong to the estate of Ward & co, and must continue to belong to said estate until the foreclosure of the mortgage which said Naglee holds on the property. Being legally in possession, we only have the right to lease or sell the same. San Francisco, April 23d, 1850.
Jas. C. Ward. }
Talbot H. Green, } Assignees of
Geo. H. Howard. } Ward & co.
cxliii co

NOTICE—Thomas J Haynes is hereby constituted my lawful agent and attorney, and is duly authorized to act for me and transact all matters of business wherein I am concerned, during my absence from California.
cxlii cm N H. Wyse.

NOTICE—William M. Bennett retires this day from the firm of Cronise Brothers & co, having sold his entire interest to Wm. H. V. Cronise and L. Stoll Cronise, by whom the business will be continued under the same style and firm.
April 2 1850, cix

100 CASES fine old cognac Brandy in the original packages, 10,000 superior Havana cigars, large size and assorted colors, honey-dew tobacco in 5 to 10 lb pkgs. Also, one well made 2½ story frame house, 16x26 ft, with tin roof ready for putting on, delivered ashore or afloat. For sale at Middleton, Berry & Co.'s old auction store, Jackson, above Kearny st.
8 tf J. Stevenson.

SHIP Orpheus—Consignees by this vessel are requested to call at my office, sacramento street, pay freight and receive their goods without delay.
9 cs John S. Manson.

WANTED to Charter—A schooner to proceed to Saucelito for piles. Apply to Charles Minturn, agent,
8 tf Broadway hotel

NAILS. 300 kegs cut Nails, assorted sizes, just received and for sale by Simmons, Lilly & co, sacramento st.
lxxiv tf

FOR SALE—Per brig Reindeer, one portable house 5ox2o, two stories high, with iron roof, ceiling and partition boards, and extra doors, everything complete; one 3ox15. 1½ stories high, 1¼, 1½, 2½ in plank, of choice quality, 15 chaldron's coal, 4 m brick, 35 iron furnaces, 12 cooking stoves, 1oo doz gold washing pans. Also a large assortment of tin ware, 1oo extra wheelbarrows, 99 casks nails, window sash, 6x8, 7x9, 8x12 and 9x13; one spile driving apparatus, 5 bbls Newark cider, ale, porter and tobacco. O. B. Jenning,
9 tf california st

FOR SALE—The good and substantial built schooner Harriet Lawrence, 186 tons burthen, coppered and copper fastened, and in complete order for river or coast navigation. Said schooner is furnished with a full inventory of sails, rigging, extra spars, &c. She is a fast sailer, having made the passage from Boston in 135 days. For further particulars, enquire of the captain on board, or to
cvi tf Simmons, Lilly & co. Sacramento st.

FOR SALE—The A 1 coppered, and copper fastened American ship Roger Sherman, 494 tons register, well found in sails, rigging, and provisions, and in complete order for any voyage, will be sold cheap, if applied for soon. For further particulars apply to
Robinson, Arnold & Sewell
8 cs foot of Pine street

FOR SALE AFLOAT—Provisions and groceries per bark Cadmus from New York, consisting in part of mess pork, hams, butter, cheese, lard, dried apples, molasses, sugar, coffee, pickles, vinegar, corn meal, spm candles, lamp oil, table salt, &c, &c. Apply to N. Miller, Battery street. cxliii tf

FOR SALE, or to Let—The spacious and convenient store and yard, also a large building in the rear, well adapted for a restaurant or hotel; now occupied by messrs. Salmon & Ellis, Pacific street, near the Graham house. 8 tf

FOR SALE—A large and desirable assortment of rich furniture, just received per ship Hannibal. Also, fine clothing, boots and shoes, etc, etc. by
S. A. & J. G. Thayer,
head Central wharf, montgomery sts
cxliv tf

FOR RENT—Five Cottages on Mission street, containing eight rooms, conveniently arranged. Apply to Mellus, Howard & co, Central wharf. lxxvii tf

FOR SALE or Lease—68 building lots, situated on Harrison, Leland, Hosmer, Clay and Taylor sts. For particulars inquire at this office, of
cxl tf Geo. L. Faulkner.

FOR SALE—American ship Mary Mitchell, of New York, 355 tons. Apply to Finley Johnson & co, central wharf.
cxxiii tf

FOR SALE, Freight or Charter—The superior, fast sailing, A 1, bark Whiton, 264 tons register.
cxliii j Simmons, Hutchinson & co.

ROOMS TO LET. Five rooms in a desirable location, suitable for a Restaurant, Offices or Lodging Rooms. Enquire at the store of Simmons, Lilly & co, sacramento or sansome sts. lxxii tf

THE GENUINE *old Dr. Jacob Townsend's Sarsaparilla!!* All demands for the above valuable medicine can be supplied by *Fitzgerald, Baush, Brewster & Co.*, sacramento st., between Kearny and Montgomery, who are the sole agents in California.

Also, for sale a three story fire proof iron house, 25x50 ft. to arrive, expected daily. 8 cA

VALUABLE Steam Saw Mill—One steam saw mill of 80 horse power, in complete running order. Attached, the necessary machinery for a flouring mill.

1 turning lathe, of superior quality, 1 dredging machine.

Also, 1 superior *hose suction*, with 100 feet hose attached. For sale by
Speck & Baugher,
t exliv j sacramento st

SHIP *Samuel Russell*.—Consignees will please give immediate attention to the receipt of their goods. Orders for the goods can be had at our office on payment of the freight. Macondray & co.
8 co

PILES, Potatoes and Oysters—for sale, the cargo of the brig George Emery, consisting of piles, boats' masts and potatoes. Also a few oysters in the shell.—Apply to John Benson, at A. M. Van Nostrand's office, Dupont st, opposite the St Francis. cxlv tf

WANTED—For the public school in stockton st, 1 pair 15-inch globes, orrery, maps and charts, books for library, and a choice assortment of school books, for which a fair price will be paid. Inquire at this office. cxlv j

WANTED—A good woman to do the work in a small family. One with good reference can hear of a permanent situation, and at good wages, on application to Whitney & Britton,
cxlv tf foot of california st

PROVISIONS—For sale, by the undersigned, butter, lard, sperm and tallow candles, dried apples, hams, pork, refined cider, saleratus, molasses, pickles, sugar, etc. etc. I. C. Woods & co.,
Montgomery st., near California, same building with Adams & co. lxiv tf

SHIP RICHARD COBDEN—Consignees by this ship are requested to call at our office, pay their freight, and take their goods without delay. The terms of the bills of lading must be strictly complied with. May 6, 1850. Macondray & co.
cxxxvii co

GOLD WASHERS. A few of the much approved Virginia Rockers. Also Retorts, chamois skins, crow bars, picks, cast steel drills, shovels, quicksilver, etc For sale by William Ladd, foot Jackson st.
lxxiv tf

PILOT AGENCY—Masters of outward bound vessels requiring pilots will please leave instructions with the undersigned. R. G. Crozier,
Harbor Master's Office, Clark's Point,
Agent for the Pilot Association. lxxxii tf

WANTED—50,000 feet lumber, immediately. To be delivered afloat. Inquire of McDonald & co, Kearny, between sacramento and california sts. cxlvi u

FOR RENT—A store on montgomery st, near Pacific street, having four offices on second floor, with warehouse in the rear. Also, a dwelling on the corner of Dupont and sacramento sts; and two small houses opposite. Inquire of Jas. Winston, jr.,
montgomery st, between sacramento and
california sts. cxlvi j

TO LET—The large and well built house on Jackson st, above Kearny street, formerly occupied by Middleton, Berry & co, as an auction sales room. Also, one wrought iron house, 4ox 5o, two stories high, for sale. Apply to
Middleton & Hood,
cxlvi j montgomery st.

IRON HOUSE For Sale—Fred k D. Blyth, Howard House, No 244 montgomery street, 3 doors from Jackson sareet, sole agent for the manufacturers of patent galvanized iron, offers for sale a very strong and superior corrugated store, with iron frame, &c, complete and perfectly fireproof, constructed so as to admit of its being erected in a few days and at a small expense. Measures 60x80 feet, has 10 iron windows, and double doors in front and rear. Also, a quantity of the above metal for sale.

Also, for rent, the two upper stories of the brick building known as the Howard Hotel, very suitable for a lodging house and billiard room, will be rented, together with a billiard table, if required, on reasonable terms, to a respectable party.
7 cA

TO LET. A large and beautiful house, situated on Jackson, near Kearny street, with a yard having two entrances. By its situation, this house can be rendered very convenient for any person desirous of engaging in two or three different lines of business. It is very well adapted to the purposes of a market, such as beef market, vegetable market, fish market, &c. The house is also by its locality well adapted for a cafe or restaurant. If the person desirous of leasing the said building should wish to have another story added to the same, the lessor is willing to have it done on terms convenient to the lessee. For further information apply to DeBoom, Vigneaux & Grisar, clay street.
xlii tf

HOUSES For Sale—American built frame houses of the following dimensions: 15x15, 16x18, 15x20, one story high, eight feet stud, some of which are furnished with iron roofs: with partitions, flooring, locks, hinges, glass, &c; timber from 3x6 to 2x4, planed where in sight, and can all be put up at a small expense; also, 6 stoves with funnel, complete, by
A. W. Richardson & co,
cxlii sansome st, near B'way.

LARGE Iron Stores—For sale low, to arrive—one iron store, (wooden frame) 25x80, three stories; one do do (do do) 30x80, three stories; one do do (do do) 30x60, two and a half stories.

The above stores are of excellent workmanship, with large windows, sash doors, hoist wheels, &c., &c. Apply to
cxlii e* Cooke, Baker & co.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District county of san Francisco, and State of California, to me directed, in the case of Wm. M. Birdsall against Phineas Hudson, there will be sold at public auction, on Thursday, the 9th day of June, A.D. 1850, at 12 o'clock, at noon of said day, on the premises situate in Happy Valley, near the water's edge, the following described property to wit: one pair oxen, one being *sick*, one wagon, also, one third part, or the right, title and interest of said Hudson, of, in and to the new sloop Merlin, of about 30 tons burthen, likewise five fine hogs, and one two-story house in Fremont st, opposite to lot 714 on said street. Said house being erected in Fremont st.
John C. Hays, Sheriff,
by John S Powers, Dep'y Sh'ff.
San Francisco, May 15, 1850. cxlv

WHITE BROTHERS, Importers of ready made clothing, blankets, drillings, tinware, harness and saddlery, of every variety, boots and shoes, miners' implements, carpenters' tools, of superior quality, and other hardware. Also, furniture, musical instruments, plated ware, groceries, provisions, etc., etc. California street, between Kearny and montgomery.
WILLIAM F. WHITE, JOHN E. WHITE,
san Francisco. N. York.
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JUST Received by the subscribers—mess pork and beef, pilot bread, hams, butter, bricks, tin ware, wooden ware, heavy and fine clothing, hardware, carpenters' tools, nails, platform scales, brandy in cases, Holland gin, London porter, salt, vinegar, boots and shoes, fancy goods, &c., which they offer for sale on the most reasonable terms, at their stores on sacramento and sansome streets.
cxxv tf Simmons, Lilly & co.

WATER, WATER.—Shipping supplied with water. Having finished our water boats, we are now prepared to supply the shipping with water, either on board or at the works, at the foot of Pine st. Orders left at Messrs. Flint & Peabody, Clark's point, Bacon & Mahony, corner montgomery and clay sts., and Ottenger, Brown & Linn, central wharf, will be punctually attended to. Office, Pine st., below sansome st. Crocker & Co.
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LOTS in Crescent City—The subscriber has now his office for the sale of the above lots, at the corner of Sansome and Bush streets, where a description of the property can be seen.

Crescent City is beautifully situated at the head of navigation of the Tuolumne river, upon the principal ferry, *en route* to the rich mines of the south, and is the most eligible point for a speculation, either in the way of trade or lots, in the whole southern placeres. The most liberal terms are offered.
cxxxvi cA Alfred Clapp, Agent

NOTICE—Benj. Reynolds can be found in Jackson above Kearny st, until he rebuilds his store on the corner of Jackson and Kearny sts.
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GOSSE & ESPIC have received to their store, Montgomery street, Hotel du Commerce. They have on hand a stock of wines and liquors.

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☞ A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee will be held this evening, 18th inst., at 8 o'clock, at the usual place, by order of F. D. Kohler, pres'dt.

Punctual attendance particularly requested.

DAILY PACIFIC NEWS.

J. WINCHESTER.....EDITOR.

Saturday, May 18, 1850.

Action of the Board of Health.

The Board of Health in the performance of their duties evince a determination to carry out fully, without fear or favor, the enactments of the law under which their office is created. In the prosecution of their labors, they will, without doubt, find a hearty co-operation in the action of the municipal authorities of this city, and an unwavering determination on the part of the State Courts to vindicate the infringement of any law sanctioned by the authority of the Legislature of California. We think it a mistaken policy on the part of any one to desire or attempt to perform, or omit the performance, of whatever is rendered obligatory by the supreme authority of this State.

We think it wrong because the anomalous position of the State is such as will render any other course of policy than that indicated by our Legislature suicidal of her true interests; and impolitic, from the known determination of our judiciary to sustain the State.

We are led to these remarks from the fact that proceedings have been commenced against various parties in this harbor for a violation of the laws pertaining to the Health regulations of this port, with damages laid in the sum of between three and four hundred thousand dollars. It is impossible to conceive any motive for breaches of the law rendering a liability in large damages, other than a supposition that there is no power in the State competent to enforce its sanctions.

Doings in the Harbor.

An ordinance was sanctioned on Thursday evening, by our city government, authorizing the Harbor Master to perform certain duties. In the execution of these duties, he ordered yesterday two vessels to take different berths from the one they then occupied. The order was resisted. Aid was called in; when the captain of one, an English man, drew a pistol, threatening and resisting the legal officer of the port. In the meantime, an *injunction* was granted by the Superior Court of San Francisco, under the *enormous* bond of $1000, staying the action of the Harbor Master. When this was announced, the defeat of this State officer in the discharge of his duty was vociferously cheered by this same captain, and the British flag hoisted in derision and contempt of the authority he had thus triumphantly braved.

The home question now is "shall the authority of the State and city be thus mocked and defied?"

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.—It is but seldom that the deliberations of a legal body ought to be broken in upon by any noise from the outsiders; but on last evening the *vox populi* had to find a vent at a moment when Alderman Selover threw the spirit and fire of a patriot, in the indignation he expressed at the conduct of those who interrupted the duties of the Harbor Master. The room was full, and one round of applause came down that showed the *people* were there to back the laws; and if any further interruption is attempted, let Mr. Hagan or any other officer, call on them, and they will show any bullying foreigner, or unfaithful citizen, that they are not to be defied upon their own soil.

STATE MARINE HOSPITAL.—A press of business has delayed our sooner noticing this exellent institution, established by the Health Commissioners of the port. The extreme high rates of hospital attendance caused great suffering among the needy and sick who were among us last winter. It will be seen that they offer this advantage at a price which will hereafter bring it within the power of almost any one to have the best medical attendance. The hospital is under the immediate superintendence of Dr. Hubbard, a gentleman who stands among the first of his profession. Patients will be admitted at the hospital for the moderate sum of $2,75 per day, including board, lodging and medical attendance. We would refer our city authorities to their proffers in regard to public patients.

REUBEN WITHERS, yesterday, was arraigned before Judge Parsons, on an indictment for the murder of Reynolds. Not being ready for trial, further time for pleading was asked and obtained. Wednesday next is the day set for the hearing.

CHINESE SALE.—The spirit in the community for Chinese articles is yet unabated. At the sale by W. H. Jones, yesterday, the competition was lively and must have offorded a fine profit to to the importer.

Common Council.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Friday evening, May 17.

The first business laid before the Board, was a message from the Mayor, announcing that all the city officers who were required to file bonds, had complied with the ordinance.

Alderman Gillespie stated that in compliance with a resolution passed at the last sitting, the City Attorney had examined the law in relation to the Collector of the Port licensing boats and scows in the harbor, and reported that such officer had not the power assumed by the incumbent here. It was also stated that the Collector had promised to cease granting such licenses in future.

Messrs. Morris and Reynolds sent in a communication proposing to contract with the city for building a wharf at the foot of Clay street, 437 feet long, for $9,372 50.

E. Mickle & Co., asked an appropriation for assisting to construct a narrow wharf at the foot of Clay street.

A petition was received from citizens in the neighborhood of Bush and Sansome streets, for grading to be done there.

Lieut. J. K. Duer, for an appropriation of $2,000, to enable him to establish a semaphoric signal station below the city.

A. T. Ladd to be appointed to furnish fuel for the use of the City Hall.

S. Fitch, for City Auctioneer.

Sebastian Vischer, for City Undertaker.

L. Russell Geary, M. D., for City Physician.

Mr. Boyer, for Keeper of Prison.

O. F. Beard and R. Turnbull, for contract to grade Taylor street.

Hugh P. Woods, for Flour Inspector.

The above petitions were disposed of by reference, &c.

A number of bills were presented for work done by order of the Street Inspector. Referred to the Auditing Committee.

The Board of Assistant Aldermen sent back the bill presented by the Judges and Inspectors of the election held on the 30th of April, against the city, reducing it one-half—concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

A resolution was presented from the Board of Assistant Aldermen, appointing a Joint Committee to inquire by what authority the rooms in the City Hall were now rented.

Alderman Selover introduced a resolution, providing for the payment of the $3.000 reward for the arrest of Reuben Withers—passed.

Ald. Stuart introduced a resolution instructing the City Attorney to take immediate measures to dissolve the injunction against Mr. Hagan, the Harbor Master, for exercising his duties in regard to removing two ships near Clark's Point, and pledging the City Council to sustain the authority of the City Officers at any cost and at every hazard—passed *unanimously*.

Messrs. Stewart & Co., sent a communication, proposing to sell a fire engine to the city. Referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

A resolution was passed, instructing the Street Commissioner to inform Mr. Buckelew to so grade that part of the street that he had rendered impassable, as to make it fit for travel; and if he would not comply, for it to be done at the instance of the city, and charge Mr. Buckelew with the cost. Passed.

Ald. Minturn introduced an ordinance appointing a Treasurer for the City Hospital of San Francisco, to receive the funds arising by law to that institution. Passed.

Adjourned to Monday evening next, half past seven o'clock.

ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

A petition was presented by Ald. Van Ness against bull-batting. Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

Ald. Maynard from the special committee on the bill of judges and inspectors of elections, recommended that each person be allowed $200—adopted.

Committee on public buildings reported that rooms had been assigned to all the courts with the exception of the county court.

Resolution by Ald. Maynard, That the Committee on public buildings be and are hereby authorised to inquire and report to this Board at its next meeting, by what authority the rooms of this building, known as the City Hall, are now rented and occupied, and being repaired. Adopted, and concurred in by the other Board.

Ordinance by Ald. Sharron—That the Assessors be authorised in the prosecution of their duties, to ask all needful questions, and administer oaths. Referred to Committee on Ordinances.

A committee of three—Sharron, Wilson and Morris—was appointed to report, in conjunction with a like committee from the other Board, on the subject of licenses.

The resolution from the upper Board paying three thousand dollars for the delivery of Withers, was referred to Committee on Finance.

The subject of investigating land titles in this city in order to know what property belonged to the Corporation, was up in form, but laid over till next meeting.

Resolution from the other Board instructing the City Attorney to proceed to have the injunction against the Harbor Master dissolved—laid on the table.

The ordinance from the Board of Aldermen, appointing the City Treasurer the Treasurer of the City Hospital—referred to Committee on Health and Police.

A copy of the ordinance relating to the Harbor Master, was ordered to be delivered to the City Attorney.

Adjourned to meet Monday evening.

COURT OF SESSIONS.—Yesterday Edward McGowan, Esq., and H. S. Brown, Esq., were unanimously elected Assistant Justices of the Court of Sessions for the county of San Francisco. The election was held agreeably to an act of the Assembly, by the Justices of the First and Second Townships, at the call of the Hon. R. N. Morrison, County Judge.

Rail Roads in California.

The following communication has been upon our table for some time, but in consequence of a press of matter incident upon the elections just passed, has been crowded out. Mr. Minor for a long period of years was the editor of the Rail Road Journal, and his opinions upon all matters pertaining to that subject are entitled to great weight:

To the Editor of the Pacific News:

SIR—I observed, a few days since, in your paper a notice of a pamphlet, by P. P. F. Degrand, Esq., of Boston, in favor of a "Railroad from St. Louis to San Francisco" On reading it I find in it an old acquaintance, as I received copies of it before I left New York, which, with other valuable documents, and a complete sett, 21 volumes, of the Railroad Journal, were put on board of the ship Robert Fulton, in May, and lost with the ship, on the Falkland Islands, in August last.

The object of Mr. Degrand, and the other able men who act with him, is to open, at the earliest day, an easy communication between the Atlantic States and the Pacific—and St. Louis is selected as the starting point, as that city is evidently to be the termination of all the important lines of railroad, commencing at Portland, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Richmond, Charleston and Savannah!—and with these roads will every other road of any extent, in the States, be connected—thus giving to St. Louis a relative position which points it out, above all others, as the commencement of a work, which, when completed, will produce results—the bare enumeration of which here would be deemed more visionary than were Fulton's efforts to propel vessels by steam in the year 1800!! or of Stephenson's efforts to construct a Locomotive Engine in 1825!!! Yet very much more than the most sanguine anticipations of those philanthropists and public benefactors has been realized; and so will the anticipations of the friends of this great work be more than realized before the year 1875.

When therefore able men of Liverpool, who planned the Liverpool and Manchester railroad, first met in a small room, in October 1825, they little thought of the wonderful results to flow from their investigations and efforts; yet we now see them—though we cannot estimate them; and ought therefore, to estimate more accurately the advantages which must result from the connection of two oceans, than they did from the connection of two cities. Of the importance of this railroad no one doubts, but "the how" it is to be constructed, puzzles many wise men; and it is to point out the speediest and the best way of accomplishing an object so desirable that Mr. Degrand and his associates have published and distributed, by thousands, this pamphlet; and I propose, if it meets your approbation, to prepare one or more communications for the Pacific News, giving the most important suggestions of the pamphlet for the consideration of the people of California, in the hope of arousing attention to the subject, and of producing a response from the shores of the Pacific, which shall reverberate across the rocky mountains, and encourage our friends at the east to persevere until the work shall be accomplished. Respectfully yours,

D. K. MINOR.

COUNTERFEIT DOLLARS.—On yesterday this community were thrown into some excitement, by the discovery of the fact of a large amount of counterfeit silver Mexican dollars having gone into circulation. So ingeniously have they been manufactured, and so perfectly do they resemble genuine coin, that some of our very first business houses have been receiving and paying them out in their daily transactions, without the least suspicion of their character.

A man named Stephen Henderson, formerly a merchant of New York, was yesterday brought before Recorder Tilford, charged with having introduced their circulation here. His case is not yet disposed of, and we are not acquainted with the character of the testimony against him. He is about forty or forty-five years old, has quite a respectable appearance, and formerly bore a good reputation.

The counterfeit pieces are of rather less diameter than the genuine coin, with perhaps a more whitish appearance than is proper. The sure detection of them is by observing the eagle figure being reversed from the position of it on the genuine dollar. Take the piece and hold the head or liberty cap so as the rays will point upwards, then turn it over from you, and the eagle will be upside down; by doing the same with a good piece, the eagle will be in an upward position.

BULL FIGHT.—This amusement was held forth to our citizens at the old circus building, on Thursday evening last to a crowded house. We have always considered this spectacle as somewhat dangerous to the *matadores*; but we see the introducers of the sport here have very considerately sought the very tamest of the herd, and *sawed their horns off* besides. We like this new mode, and suggest that if the bull-killers would lay by the sword, and *wallup* the bull around the ring with *gads* only, the fun would be increased amazingly!

WAR.—Of the eleven hundred New York volunteers for the Mexican war, less than two hundred are known to be among the living.

England and the United States.

The London Illustrated News, in an article on the signs and prospects of the new year, makes the following comparison between England and the United States:

"An Empire, twenty, thirty, fifty times as extensive as ours, has already arisen on the other side of the Atlantic to entice into its bosom the best blood which remains to us. The young, the hardy, the persevering of our country, and of all countries of Europe that groan under the weight of debt and difficulty, and of a surplus of population, and that cannot say, as the New World does, that every man is a man, welcome for the sake of his manhood to the great feast of nature, where there is enough and to spare for, the meanest are daily invited to leave the shores of effete Europe and settle in America.

The growth of the United States, is in fact the down fall of Great Britain. All the unhappy circumstances that are of prejudice to us, are of benefit to them. With us, the mouths that clamor to be fed are causes of decay. With them, every additional mouth is an additional pair of hands, and every additional pair of hands is an increase of power, wealth and influence. Let us pour our millions into the great valley of the Mississippi, and it will feed them all, were the numbers quadrupled. While in this old country the pauper vegetates and dies, in that new country he no longer vegetates, but thrives and counts by thousands his flocks—a Job in the land of plenty.

Let those who dream of a perpetual Britain think of these things. The signs of decay are around us on every side. We must, sooner or later, yield our place to the more prudent, the less embarrassed, and the more vigorous off-shoot of our race, and consent to occupy the easy chair of our senility. The civilization that is removed is not destroyed; and the genius of our people can exert itself as well on the borders of the Ohio as on the banks of the Thames, and rule the world with as much propriety from the White House, as from the palace of St. James. Europe has enjoyed power and has abused it, and the sceptre of the world's dominion, is passing from her grasp. Civilization as of old, is following the course of the sun, and the doctrines of humanity will work themselves out in a new field on a larger scale."

WHAT QUEBEC MIGHT BE IF CANADA WERE A STATE OF THE UNION.—She would be the largest ship-building port in the world, and probably one of the most considerable stations for the navy of the United States. Let us see if the facts do not support the belief. Hitherto. Quebec has built exclusively, either for the colonial or British ship owner. With regard to the market afforded by the latter, it is clear that it must be very much restricted by the smallness of our population, and by our comparative want of capital. Of the British market we may say, that, with some vicissitudes, it has hitherto been a good one; nor, perhaps, has the change in the navigation laws tended to injure the colony very much in this particular. But, for the future, colonial vessels will have no advantages over those of foreigners, for sale in English ports; and, what is only stating the same proposition in another, but a manner more distinct for our purpose, if the colony become a foreign nation, her vessels would sell there, as they do now, because any vessel is entitled to British register, if owned by British subjects, without respect to the place of construction. By ceasing to be a colony, therefore, Canada would lose none of the building trade which she has now, or can have under our present system. But she would gain immensely in building for trades from which her vessels are either entirely shut out, or in which they labor under great disadvantages—we speak of the immediate coasting commerce of the United States, extending, on the Atlantic seaboard, from Maine to Mexico, and round the southern half of the Continent to the newly founded colonies on the shores of the Pacific, besides the Lakes, from Champlain to Superior—*Montreal Herald.*

RE-VACCINATION.—The following information, which may prove useful to all classes of our fellow-citizens, is taken from the *Home Journal.*

"First, every individual is susceptible of vaccination; second, re-vaccination is not necessary before puberty; third, the system undergoes a change at puberty, and re-vaccination is then necessary; fourth, vaccination is a sure preventive of small pox; fifth, re-vaccination is a sure preventive of varioloid; sixth, the third vaccination is inert; seventh, the system is susceptible of varioloid after puberty, whenever the individual is exposed to smallpox without re-vaccination; eighth, re-vaccination is not necessary if the first operation was performed since puberty; ninth, those who disregard vaccination are always liable to smallpox whenever exposed to the influence of that dreadful disease; tenth, if every individual were vaccinated before puberty, and re-vaccinated at that revolution of the system, there would be no such disease existing as the smallpox.

VISIT TO AN AGED LADY.—The Boston correspondent of the Salem Register says that Gov. Briggs, a short time since, went several miles to visit, in Lexington, a lady who has commenced on the second century of her life, and is now enjoying good health. After the battle of Lexington, she had the ungrateful duty to perform of dressing the wounds and taking care of a British soldier, who had been badly shot in that momentous skirmish. Had he been an American, we suppose she would have been awarded a pension long ago. All she thought of was, that he was a fellow-being, supplicating for assistance, and, womanlike, she rendered zealous and efficient aid; without staying to inquire if it would render her unpopular. She has lived to bury the most of her children and grandchildren, but still, notwithstanding her great age and indigent circumstances, appears cheerful and happy.

COLORED LAWYERS AND STATESMEN IN JAMAICA.—It is now some 15 or 20 years since the emancipation of the slaves in the (British) West India Island of Jamaica. Since then the negro race appear to have made rapid advances. A letter to the New York Evening Post says:

One of the most distinguished barristers on the island is a colored man, who was educated at an English university, and ate his terms at Lincoln's Inn, as must all barristers who wish to practice here; the judicial authorities of the island having no power to admit any one to practice the law in any of its departments. This is a circumstance, by the way, which has given to Jamaica a bar of rare culture and talent.

It so happened that the Surrey Assize was sitting in Kingston when I arrived, Sir Joshua Rowe presiding. I availed myself of the courtesy of a professional friend, and accompanied him one day to the Court, while in session. Though the room contained a crowd of people, there did not appear to be twenty white persons among them, the Court and Bar inclusive. Two colored lawyers were sitting at the barrister's table, and the jury box was occupied by twelve men, all but three of whom were colored, and all but two who were negroes, were Jews. Two witnesses were examined before I left the room, both of whom were colored and both police officers. All the officers of the court, except the clerk, were also colored. I was assured that more than seven-tenths of the whole police force of the island, amounting to about eight hundred men are colored.—Judging from the portion that fell under my observation, this estimate cannot be far from correct. But what will the southern readers of the Evening Post say, when I add, that in the legislative assembly of Jamaica, composed of fifty-six or fifty-seven British subjects, some ten or a dozen are colored men. Nay more, the public printers of the Legislature, Messrs Jordan & Osborn, are both colored men, and are likewise editors of the leading government paper, the Kingston Journal.

It was my privilege, the other day, to make the acquaintance of one of the most highly cultivated men, (Mr. Hill,) I ever met, upon whose complexion the accidents of birth had left a tinge which betrayed the African bar on his escutcheon. He is a brown man, about forty-five years of age, I judged, and was educated in one of the English universities, where he enjoyed every advantage which wealth could procure for his improvement. His appearance and address both indicate superior refinement. He enjoys an enviable reputation as a naturalist, and has published a volume on the birds of Jamaica, illustrated by his own pencil, which displays both literary and scientific merit of a high order. He is one of the Stipendiary magistrates of the island, upon a salary of £500 sterling per annum.

COMMERCE OF THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The Polynesian, at Honolulu, of April 6, says: The increase in the number of vessels arriving at this port during the past few months has been quite important. We have gathered a few statistics and compared them with former years, which show the growing importance and trade of our port. The arrivals during the first quarter of the year 1850. have been—

Merchant vessels,	75	18,224	tonnage.
Whale ships,	15	5,386	"
Total, 1st quarter,	90	23,610	"

The arrivals during the first three months of 1849, were as follows:

Merchant vessels,	34	4,209	tonnage.
Whale ships,	46	10,153	"
Total, 1st quarter,	67	14,362	"

It will be seen by the above that the number of vessels arriving during the first quarter of the present year is nearly double that of the corresponding quarter of 1849, and the amount of tonnage more than double. If we compare the arrivals of merchant vessels during the same quarters of 1849 and 1848, the increase is still more perceptible, showing an increase of tonnage in one year of 14,024 tons.

But on the other hand, there has been a decrease in the number of whale ships touching here in the spring. In 1849 the decrease during the first quarter of the year, was 29 compared with the first quarter of 1848. And only fifteen whaling vessels have touched at this port during the quarter of the present year, being two less than during the same time last year. This decrease is easily accounted for and is caused by the great danger of losing sailors. Captains of whalers prefer spending their winters near the line and recruiting at some of the Southern Islands with the best that can be obtained. And most of the whalers that have visited our port during the spring, have kept very shy, hardly coming to anchor. We have no fear, however, that this port will lose its superiority as a recruiting depot for whalers over every other in the Pacific, and the loss of seamen at the Islands can only prove a temporary disadvantage which time will correct.

ARTIFICIAL MODE OF MAKING ICE.—The Paris scientific reporters notice, with approval and adoption, the very ingenious invention of Dr. Gerrie, of Florida, of making ice by expansion of highly compressed air, previously reduced to the ordinary temperature. They notice, likewise, the sort of a claim to priority which Sir John F. W. Herschel has put forth in the London Atheneum. The astronomer adduces only oral suggestion on his side, made privately to friends within the last four or five years. He adds in a postscript, "An old steam boiler, buried some twenty or thirty feet under ground, in well rammed earth, furnished with a condensing-pump, (worked above ground,) and one eduction pipe, opening by a stopcock through a rose into water, would in all probability supply ice *ad libitum* for the use of a family in the country; the condensation being performed over night."

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Tuolumne City.

According to the Stockton Times, is rapidly increasing in importance, though we may be permitted to doubt whether "*the eyes of all men of intelligence in the commercial world*" are directed thither at the present moment. The steamer Georgiana is making regular trips between it and Stockton, carrying large quantities of goods. Houses are going up rapidly. Several capitalists have located there; in fact, every thing bids fair for a California city. It is with pleasure we notice the following paragraph in a letter to the Times:

Mr. Lippincott, who is a host in himself, a proprietor of this place, and one whose face is ever welcome as flowers in May, when he abdicated his seat in the Senate, immediately visited us, and his enterprising spirit already manifests itself in much that is going on.

He has our best wishes, both for himself and his new city.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

SAN FRANCISO MARKETS.
Friday Evening, May 17.

The China sale, at Dall & Austin's new warehouse, sacramento st, this forenoon, was very well attended, and the bidding for a large portion of the goods was spirited. Shawls &c, ranged at low prices; teas brought from 56 to 90c; a poor article of sugar brought 34c; fancy articles were sold for very fair prices.

The flour market is more dull than heretofore; no improvement in prices. whole sacks in quantity may be quoted at $12; smaller lots have been sold to-day at $12.25 and $12.50. Hf sacks in better demand at $6.50.

The large supply of butter causes a decline in prices; some sales have been made to-day at 52c. Coffee maintains the high quotations heretofore given. Brown drillings, cotton bagging, &c, have become in demand; the increased consumption for wall covering, packing for the mines, &c, are the presumed causes.

The lumber market, in retail sales, is active; in cargo sales, but little is effected, and at very low figures; rough lumber, per cargo, $25a30 per M.

MARINE NEWS.

Port of San Francisco.

Friday, May 17.

CLEARED.

Eng bk Marian Watson, Pike, Sydney, 3 pass.

Per bg Fanny, Bemkenburgh Valp.

Sch Piedmont, Stiles, Trinity Bay, 35 p.

ARRIVED.

Bk Victoria, Bryan, 8 ds fm Astoria, piles to captain, 5 pass.

Dutch bg Siepa Zaritza, Suircovich, 118 ds, fm Rio Janeiro, via Valp, 49 ds, mdz, Esche, Wapler & co, 1 pass.

Bg Henry Roberts, 5 ds fm Columbia river, piles to master, 4 pass.

MEMORANDA.

Left bg Cordelia, hence, arrived 11th inst; bg Tarquina, Moulthrop, for this pt, ldg.

☞ FREIGHT NOTICE.—Steamer Senator for Sacramento city—Shippers by this vessel will confer a favor and prevent mistakes by having their goods distinctly marked, and ensure their getting on board by leaving orders, when lighters are required, at the office, the day before her sailing. Her days of leaving her usual berth are Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays at 4 P. M, on which days no goods will be received after 3 P. M. Charles Minturn Agent,
cxxxiv tf Clark's point.

☞ FREIGHT NOTICE—All freight per steamer Gold Hunter, for Sacramento city, will be received on board the store-ship at clark's point, free of charge for storage. To prevent mistakes, shippers will please mark their freight, "per Gold Hunter."
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☞ We are requested to state that the steamer Senator, in order to make a few repairs, will discontinue her trips for a few days. cxlv

FOR Humboldt Harbor, Trinidad Bay, and Cheste River. The new, coppered, and copper fastened, fast sailing schooner John Story, capt. N. S. Ellis, having just returned from one of the above named ports, will sail as above on or about the 23d inst. The John Story, having been expressly prepared for this trade, having superior accommodations and possessing fast sailing qualities, with capt. Ellis' knowledge of the coast, renders this one of the most safe and reliable opportunities for a secure and agreeable passage to the places of her destination. For further information, as to passage and freight, which will be the lowest rates, apply to Messrs. Gildemeester, de Freemery & co., corner of stockton st. and broadway, or to
A. J. Cost, agent, central wharf, over Hewes, Selover & co's auction store.
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BARK TALISMAN—Notice is hereby given that if 5000 boards, shipped by Mr. G. D Jones, in Talcahuana, by the Talisman, A. Meyer, master, are not called for within two days, and freight and damage paid, they will be sold for such. May 17.
Pajeken, Frisius & co, consignees,
cxlviii e* Pacific st.

STORAGE—The new warehouse on Battery street, just above california st, with an entrance from sansome st, is now ready to receive merchandize on storage at very low rates. Lighters can receive and discharge cargo on both the front and rear of the building. Gillespie & co,
cxlvii j Central wharf.

GRIST MILL and Dwelling House for sale, with nine acres of land, situated near the town of Alviso and pueblo San Jose. There is sufficient water to run four stones all the year round. For further particulars inquire of
Oliver Magnant,
cxlviii m* on the premises.

SHIP WANTED—A good English ship of 300 to 500 tons burthen is wanted at a fair price, by
cxlviii j Macondray & co.

PILES—16,000 ft superior Oregon piles, just received ex bark Victoria, and for sale by Beck & Palmer,
cxlviii o clay at wharf.

FOR RENT—One half of a large store in california st, between montgomery and Kearny sts, occupied by
cxlviii u Salas, Bascunan, Tehrnand & co.

DISTRICT COURT, Fourth District—San Francisco, State of California, April 18th, A. D. 1850. Present, Hon, LEVI B. PARSONS, Judge of Fourth District. Henry Kerchner, vs. The Unknown heirs of Frederick Wissell, deceased. It satisfactorily appearing to this court, by the bill of complainant now filed, that the defendants, the unknown heirs of Frederick Wissoll, deceased, are not residents of this State; and reside in Baden, Germany, and the bill being filed to obtain the partition of certain premises; thereupon, on motion of Messrs. Hart, Wells & Parburt, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered, that the defendants aforesaid appear and answer the bill in this cause by Monday, the 20th day of May next, or that said bill be taken as confessed by them. And a copy of this order to be published for one month, twice in each week, successively, in one or more of the newspapers published in the city of San Francisco, in which said premises are situated; which premises, whereof partition is sought, are briefly described as follows, to wit: the southwest quarter of lot known and described on the plat of the town of san Francisco, as lot No. 208, situate on the southwest corner of sansome and Pacific streets. Hart, Wells & Parburt,
solicitors and of counsel for complainant,
Office, Burgoyne's buildings. cxlviii o

FIRE PROOF SAFES—Simmons, Hutchinson & co, agents; Edwards, Holman & co, the manufacturers; offer for sale an assortment of their fire-proof safes and chests, just landed, among which is one with double door, and suitable for a banker or for public Recorder.

The following is one of many certificates in our possession.

BOSTON, March 13, 1848.

Messrs. Edwards, Holman & co:

Gentlemen—Having been located in the block on Washington street where the great fire occurred on Friday night last, and being made sufferers by the event, we have the satisfaction to find that the contents of our safe, which is one of your manufacture, have not only been preserved, but are *entirely uninjured*.

It is our pleasure, therefore, to recommend your "Improved Salamander Safes" to the notice of the public, as being *unquestionably* "safe;" the fact of which we have fully tested. Respectfully yours,
cxlviii tf John Earle, jr. & co.

HOUSES, Houses—Five houses, 16 ft by 24 ft, two stories high, six windows and four doors for each house; the frames for the windows are all worked out, the sash all glazed with 12 lights in each window, 8x10, the doors and door frames are also worked out and ready for putting up, with shingles and shingle lath, flooring boards, siding for weather boards, planed weather boarding for fronts, joists, and every thing complete. Also, two houses, 16x38, one and a half stories; one do 16x38, two stories; two do 16x39, two stories, with every thing complete. These houses were framed and got up in Philadelphia, by experienced carpenters. For sale by
Thomas S. Barnstead,
foot of Jackson and sansome sts, over J. Cowell & co. cxlviii j

BARK MARTIN W. BRETT, at auction—Will be sold on the 25th inst, to the highest bidder, the American bark Martin W. Brett, 228 tons register burthen, and built at Machias, State of Maine, in the year 1842. She has very commodious and extensive accommodations for passengers, and is a remarkably fast sailer. Her inventory can be seen, and further information obtained on application to Messrs. Cross, Hobson & co, or to the subscribers.

On Tuesday, amongst numerous other goods, which will be hereafter mentioned, a quantity of blankets will be sold for account of whom it may concern.

J. B Cannon & co, Auctioneers,
iron store, montgomery, near california st
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JUSTICE'S COURT,
[PORTSMOUTH SQUARE.]

EDWARD McGOWAN, Justice of the Peace for the first township of San Francisco, and Associate Justice for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county, takes this method of informing the gentlemen of the Bar, and all others who may have business to transact in the Justice's Court, in the first township, that he has located himself in the building formerly occupied by Judge Geary, late Alcalde, on the Plaza, where he will punctually attend to all suits that may be entrusted to him.

☞ Mr. Thos. H. Ferris, the officer elected for this, will be in attendance at this office. cxlviii cA

DISSOLUTION of Copartnership—The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Hewes, Selover & co, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. A. A. Selover having retired. The business will continue under the firm of
Hewes & Cutter,
Central wharf.
San Francisco, May 17. cxlviii cA

A SMALL lot of prime Goshen butter, in fifteen lb. packages; also, a few cases of choice Otard brandy, pure juice port wine, Leacock Madeira and cherry brandy for sale by Brown & co., sansome st. one door from california st., Stark's buildings. cxlviii o*

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day associated themselves together, for the purpose of transacting a General Commission and Shipping business under the firm of Dungan, Moore & Pendergast. San Francisco, May 1, 1850.
A. S. Dungan,
Chas. Moore,
cxlviii u Chas H. Pendergast.

POWDER—A constant supply of Du Pont's manufacture, in cannisters and kegs, on hand, and for sale by
Winston & Simmons,
308 montgomery, near Pacific st.
cxlviii cA

NOTICE—The U. S. mail line of stages for San Jose, will leave the S. A. Wright Hall, corner Kearny and Washington sts, until further notice, at 8 o'cl'k, A. M. Ackley & Morrison,
cxlviii c Proprietors.

FOR SALE or RENT—one adobe house, situated at the Mission Dolores, known as the Foley House, 40x25 or thereabouts. For further particulars apply to Michael Foley,
cxlviii c* at Mission Dolores.

FOUND Adrift the 15th inst., a schooner rigged whale boat, complete painted green bottom, and black gunwale outside, yellow and green inside. Also, three dock logs. The owners can have the above by proving property and paying expenses, by applying to the Gunsmith, Happy Valley beach, corner Mission road. cxlvii o*

SILKS—New styles, gro de Rhine, gro de Afrique, and glacer silks.

Also, rich cashmeres and mouslin de laines, and various styles of prints.

Bingham, Reynolds, Bartlett & co.
cxlvii u cor sansome st, and Broadway

TO ALL to whom these presents may come. I, John Joyce, of Humboldt Harbor, in Trinity Bay, Upper California, greeting:

Know ye, that I, the said John Joyce, under and by virtue of the laws of the United States, did, on the 6th day of May, in the year 1850, enter the following described farm of land, situate in Humboldt Harbor, Trinidad Bay, near the shore of the Pacific Ocean, in Upper California, beginning at low water mark, on the westerly shore of Humboldt Harbor, and distant from the northern point of land at the mouth of said harbor, one half of an English mile, and runs thence north along said harbor at low water mark, one half of an English mile; thence at right angles, in a westerly direction, one half of an English mile; thence south at right angles, one half of an English mile; thence east, at right angles, one half of an English mile, to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and sixty acres of land.

That I have made the same my residence, and am now in the actual occupation thereof; that I have taken and shall maintain my title to said lands, and by all constitutional and legislative authority, hold my right of pre-emption to the same, under the laws of the United States now in force and to be enacted.

And this instrument is executed, acknowledged and recorded, as required by law.

In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and seal, this sixth day of May, 1850.
L. S.
JOHN JOYCE.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of
E. V. Joice,
Jas. O'Grady.

State of California, }
County of san Francisco. }

Personally appeared, this 17th day of May, A.D, 1850, John Joyce, the signer and sealer of the foregoing instrument, to me known, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned, and of his own free act and deed.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the day and year first above written. Jas. O'Grady,
cxlviii u] Deputy County Recorder.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of two writs of *venditioni exponas*, issued out of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, county of san Francisco, and State of California, at the suit of Starkey, Janion & co, against J. J. Bryant, and to me directed, I shall expose to sale, at the court house door of said court, in the city of san Francisco, on Friday, May 24th, inst, at 12 o'clock, at noon, of the said day, a part of the following lots of land, situate within the said city, and designated upon the map of said city, with the numbers as described below, to wit: Part of subdivided lot No. 218, cor Folsom and Simmons streets; part of subdivided lot No. 202, on mission street, between Fifth and simmons streets; part of lot No. 1293, northeast corner Green and Hyde streets; part of lot No. 1294, southwest corner Union and Hyde sts; part of lot No. 1207, south side Union st, between Leavenworth and Hyde sts; part of lot No. 1295, northwest corner Union and Hyde sts; part of lot No. 1394, southwest cor Union and Larkin sts; all the above named lots having been by me sold on the 3d day of May, A. D, 1850, and as some of the lots thus subdivided as aforesaid, and staked off, have not been paid for by the persons who bid off the same at the sale aforesaid, the same will be re-sold on the 25th inst, as aforesaid, at the expense of said purchasers. 25 per cent. required from the purchaser at the time of sale, or the lots will be resold. John C. Hays, Sheriff,
cxlviii t] by Jno. S. Powers, Dep'ty Sh'ff.
san Francisco, May 18th, 1850

BRANDY AND GIN. The subscribers have on hand a large stock of superior Brandy, Otard and other brands, and first quality Gin, Nolet's, in pipes or quantities, to suit purchasers.

Also, Wines, Rum, Segars, Candles, Tobacco, Pickles, Matches, Clay Pipes, &c., which will be sold at the lowest market rates. Chapman & Espy,
opposite the Lafayette Restaurant,
Washington Place, leading North, from the old Custom House. lxxv uA*

BUILDING Materials—2 large warehouses, 50 two story houses, 5 three do do, several house frames, 80 m seasoned scantling asstd, 2½x3, 7x7, window frames and sashes, asstd, with English plate glass, painted, panel doors, painted; 400 feet window glass, asstd sizes, 300 lbs putty, 50 m shaved and sawed shingles, 20 m laths, 30 m clapboards, 30 m large sized bricks, English. For sale by
Finley, Johnson & co,
cxlvii j Central wharf

PILOT Agency—Masters of outward bound vessels requiring pilots, or wishing their vessels moored in the harbor, will please leave instructions with the undersigned, agents,
W. J. Burnside,
at Bay hotel, clark's point.
or James Nelson,
at Chas. Minturn's office, steamer Senator, clark's point. 8 co

FOR SALE—12,000 boards, 7227 quartones from Chili, on board ship. If desired, the vessel can bring them to a foreign port, or also be sold at same time. Good lots will be taken for part of the amount. Pajeken, Frisius & co,
cxlviii u* Pacific st.

PILES, PILES—Just received per brig Seguin, from Oregon, a splendid assortment of 10 in. and 14 in. piles, from 30 to 45 feet length. Also, scantling, 3 in. plank, and hewn timbers of all dimensions. For sale by Winter & Latimer,
cxlvii u 279 montgomery st.

BAKERY For Sale or Rent—The bakery situated on Rincon point, one of the best locations for business in the city. For terms, &c, which will be liberal, apply to Wm. C. Perkins, near the premises. Possession given, May 28. cxlvi tf

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE For Sale. In a good business location, a two story building 25x58 ft, with a lease of the lot, having four years and ten months to run. For further particulars apply to
Fitch & co.
cxlvi tf 277 montgomery st.

SUGAR—White clayed sugar in packages, containing 200 lbs each. For sale by Clement Ducoing,
Pacific st, near sansome st.
Also, a first rate French billiard table.
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PER SHIP Sartelle—50 doz chairs, 100 bbls cement, 50,000 feet extra planed boards, 30,000 clap boards.

One lap streak boat, two masts, with large cuddy, suitable for the river.
cxlvii j Geo. N. Shaw & co.

FLOUR, Barley, Champagne—3000 sacks chili flour, 800 do barley, 200 doz champagne, 200 empty bags. For sale by
Hayden & Mudge,
corner clay and montgomery sts.
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GREGORY'S NEW YORK EXPRESS. Gold dust forwarded and insured through to New York (the risk of the Isthmus included) by every steamer, and forwarded to any part of the Union. Also, messages and parcels forwarded without detention on the route. Business orders, for the States, promptly executed.

The proprietor of this Express, assisted by his son, will attend personally to business in any of the mining districts, leaving the office, san Francisco, the day after the arrival of the next Pacific steamer, and returning from the mines in season to dispatch a special messenger by the steamer for the States. Drafts on New York in sums to suit purchasers.

Office in san Francisco, Hutton & Timmerman's, Clark's Point.
Joseph W. Gregory, Proprietor.
Office in New York, 69 Pearl street.
lxxix uA John C. Thompson, Agent.

FOREIGN and INLAND EXPRESS. HAVEN & LIVINGSTON, san Francisco, California, in connection with Livingston, Wells & co., New York, having Agencies in all the principal Atlantic cities, Great Britain and France, offer their services in the various branches of their business.

Bullion, gold dust, packages, &c. received and forwarded to any of the above places.

Orders filled and the articles returned with the utmost despatch.

Drafts on New York, Philadelphia, and other large cities.

Articles of value received for safe keeping.

Offices, in New York, 10 Wall street, in Philadelphia, 43 South Third street.
Haven & Livingston,
303 montgomery street, next to the corner of sacramento street lxxxviii uA

TODD & BRYAN'S *Stockton and San Francisco Express*, communicating with all parts of the southern mines, and connecting in san Francisco with Adams & co's and Haven & Livingston's Expresses, to all parts of the United States.

Office in san Francisco, with Adams & co. lxxiii tf

JOHNSON & CANFIELD are now receiving, per ships Hampden and Samuel Russell,

California hats, of various colors and qualities, boots, shoes and brogans, sperm candles, scarlet, blue, and white blankets; one case of silk pocket hdfks, hemmed; one do brown cotton undershirts.

Also, a great variety of clothing suitable for city and miners trade, consisting of red and blue flannel shirts and drawers, frock coats, shooting coats, Montpensier do, sacks of tweed, cassimere, blanket and cloth oversacks; jackets, colored and black cassimere and satinett pants, vests, a variety, double and single breasted; merino and Cohoes shirts and drawers, white and colored hosiery and cravats, white and colored shirts. For sale by
Johnson & Canfield,
Jackson st, (north side) between Kearny and Dupont sts. cxlvii u

NEW STORE *on Sansome street.* The subscribers having purchased and made alterations in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Wissell as a hotel, are now prepared to supply the wants of their customers more fully than can be done at any other store in this city. We are constantly receiving from the States and intend to keep at all times on hand, a full assortment of clothing, furnishing goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, fancy goods, guns and pistols, powder, shot and caps, blankets, mining tools, trunks, carpet bags, &c. &c., and shall endeavor to live up to our old motto of "*large sales and small profits.*"

Persons going to the mines will find this the most convenient place to get their supplies, as it is near the landing, and every thing they require can be bought here at the lowest prices.

SIMMONS, LILLY & CO,
xxv cs A sansome st, near Pacific st

JUST RECEIVED, per Herculean and bark Orion, and for sale by the subscribers, 1000 lbs fresh butter in kegs, 2000 lbs English dairy and pineapple cheese, dried apples in qr bbls, cranberries in hf do, 200 kegs sour krout, 50 cases champagne cider, 40 do superior cherry brandy, 200 bxs herring in tins, 60 doz brandy and pie fruits, 40 jars honey, 20 frails dates, 50 cases chocolate, 20 do cocoa, 500 tins butter, water and soda crackers, a superior article, 15 cases axes and 15 doz ax helves, 40 doz masons' and garden trowels, 60 doz cocoa handled knives, 100 lbs copper tacks, 15 cases fine boots and shoes.

Also, 500 sacks chili flour, 80 cases champagne, 500 do claret, 50 kegs French brandy, 18 galls each, 2 pipes superior do, and 6-8 inch Colt's revolvers.
Hewes, Selover & Co,
cxliii Central Wharf.

BOOK STORE.

WILSON & SPALDING, Stationer's Hall, on Clay street, opposite the Police Office, san Francisco, and also at their branch establishment on Front street, Sacramento City, where they offer for sale *BOOKS, wholesale and retail*, on liberal terms—a great variety, making the most splendid collection of *fifty thousand volumes*. Stationery, Blank Books, Journals, Ledgers, Day Books, Record Books, and a general assortment of other articles in their line. Just received a large invoice of splendid Spanish, French and German books, from Paris. An excellent assortment of school books, Sanders' series, and also 2000 new novels. The Ready Reckoner.

N B Second hand books purchased on liberal terms. Gold dust and California coins bought. lxxxi uA

FRANKLIN DRUG Store—Osgood's India cholagogue, fever and ague powders from the Hong Kong dispensary, Swaim's panacea and Mrs. Kidder's cordial, for sale wholesale and retail.

Sugar of lemons, an excellent substitute for lime juice or lemon syrup.

Potted salmon and herring, sperm candles, tapioca, washing soda, and glue of a superior quality.

Scarlet degree and encampment regalias, pink saucers, teeth, hair and cloth brushes; a large variety of beads and fancy articles.

And a full assortment of drugs and medicines, wholesale and retail.

Also, a very convenient shower bath.
Samuel Adams, Druggist.
corner of Jackson and Kearny sts, opposite Washington market. cxliii j

NOTICE—The cargo per Hambro' bark George Nicolaus, Capt. Ahrens, from Talcahuana and Tome, has as yet not been claimed, and the demurrage of $35 per day, since the 5th of April has not been paid. Notice is hereby given, that the cargo will be sold, if the remainder of the freight and the full amount of demurrage is not paid within five days.

San Francisco, May 16, 1850.
Wm. Hoppe & co,
Agents for Capt. Ahrens, sacramento st, between Kearny and Dupont. cxlvii j

AUCTION SALES.

J. B. Folger, Auctioneer.

By MOORE, FOLGER & HILL.

MORTGAGE SALE—By virtue of a power contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date on the eleventh day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty, executed by Salisbury Haley and Robert Haley, to Stephen A. Wright and John Thompson, and duly assigned by the said Wright and Thompson to the undersigned, we will sell at public auction on the premises, on Wednesday next, the twenty-second instant, all that certain lot of land in the city of San Francisco on the north side of Washington street, commencing fifty-three feet nine and one-half inches from the corner of Kearny and Washington streets, fronting on Washington street forty feet nine and one-half inches, running back forty-nine feet nine inches, being the same lot upon which the HALEY HOUSE stood before the fire of the fourth instant. Said sale to take place to satisfy the sum due on said mortgage, principal and interest.

J. C. Palmer,
C. W. Cook,
Geo. W. Wright,
cxlv a E. Jones.

F. B. FOLGER, Auctioneer.

MOORE, FOLGER & HILL, montgomery st, will sell, on Saturday, 18th inst, at 10 o'clock, a great variety of desirable and seasonable articles, among which are—

50 bxs Judd's patent candles, 50 do spm do, 25 do adm do, 100 cases champagne cider, 10 bags Rio coffee, loaf sugar, 10 bags dried apples in liquor casks, 10 do New York city sugar-cured hams, 50 hf sacks flour, 2000 lbs Preston's first quality sweet chocolate, cocoa paste and broma, 50 Eng dairy cheese, 1000 lbs butter, bxs tobacco, 15 kegs nails, asstd sizes, 2 bolts canvas, 1 anvil, 1 vice and set of blacksmith's tools, 1 salamander safe, and 4 solid iron chests, 2 platform scales.
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WM. H. V CRONISE, Auctioneer.

CRONISE, BROTHERS & co, Auction and Commission merchants, corner of montgomery and Jackson sts, will sell this (Saturday) morning, at 9½ o'clock, without reserve,

20,000 lbs prime sweet and Irish potatoes, 5000 lbs brown sugar, 12,000 lbs white sugar in 25 lb mats; 10,000 lbs loaf sugar, 120 cases dry ginger sweetmeats, 60 cases wet ginger do, 20 cases marmalade, 20 chests gunpowder tea, 50 bbls dried apples, 55 kegs butter 25 lbs each, 40 kegs prime dairy butter, 200 kegs do 15 lbs each, 25 boxs adm candles, 40 do sperm do, 10,000 lbs prime sugar cured hams, 200 bags good rice, 100 boxes raisins, 5 cases very heavy boots, 500 balls cheese, 100 bbls salmon, 60 doz mixed pickles, 100 cases St. Julien claret, 50 do brandy and gin, 15 kegs madeira wine, 50 doz lime juice, 200 boxes saleratus, 50 do peaches, 100 scarlet bandets, 6 very rich crape shawls, 200 beaverteen vests and coats, 20,000 cedar boards, gold scales, olives, whisky, 100 chinese chairs, 50 doz eggs, 600 tins lobsters, oysters, pigs feet, radish and catsup; 100 bags walnuts, 4000 lbs dried pears, 200 lots desirable merchandize. cxlviii c*

MEACHAM & GIBBONS, Auctioneers.

BUTTER, Pork, Brandy, Claret, &c—This, Saturday morning, May 18, at 10 o'clock—

50 bbls pork, 80 cases claret, 50 cases brandy, 10 kegs butter, 1 cask eggs, casks nails, 4 doz chairs Also, about 200 vols books, by eminent English, German and other authors, comprising Byron, Shakspeare, Thiers, Zschokke, Sands, Edgeworth, Bremer, Coleridge, &c. One iron house, 15x20 feet, one wooden do, 25x30 feet, 400 windows, with frames, together with a lot of boards, 1 corn grinder. c

JAMES B. HUIE & Co, Auctioneers.

JAMES B. HUIE & Co, auctioneers, 51 montgomery st, will sell, this day, at 10 o'clock,

4000 lbs Irish potatoes in sacks, 3000 do sweet do do, 15 bbls superior pickles in vinegar, 2 do sour krout, 10 do superior pickles in salt, 20 cases Holland gin, 300 lbs powder, 25 half sacks flour, 30 kegs butter, 20 cases cheese, 100 bags shot, all sizes, 200 kegs cut nails, 30 boxes saleratus. cxlviii

JOHN MIDDLETON, Auctioneer.

MIDDLETON & HOOD will sell on Tuesday morning, May 21st, at 10 o'clock, at sales room, corner of Washington and montgomery sts,

50 bbls prime pork, 5000 lbs superior hams, 50 bbls dried apples, 50 do peaches, 200 kegs water crackers, 1000 lbs superior butter, 50 boxes port wine, 150 do cognac brandy, 50 do madeira wine, 100 kegs cognac brandy, 500 pieces wall paper, 5000 lbs zinc in casks, 50 boxes burgundy wine, 50 inch panel doors, 200 pair outside window blinds, 172 window sash, primed and glazed, 9x12, 8x10, and 7x9; 1000 gilt metal letters, numbers, commas, dots, &c, & co's. asstd sizes, 11, 9 and 7 inch; 2 superior grates and fire places.

Lisbon cargo of superior Liquors—20 qr casks malmsy wine, 20 qr do madeira wine, 40 one-tenth do do do, 20 qr do port wine, 30 one-tenth do do do, 50 one-fifth do cognac brandy, superior; 50 one fifth do white do, 10 bxs, ten cans each, olive oil; 20 kgs pearl barley, 100 boxes superior honey dew tobacco, 5, 7 and 10 lb boxes. cxlviii

SHIP & BRIG For Sale—Simmons, Hutchinson & co, offer for sale low, the American ship Edward, 335 tons register, thoroughly rebuilt three years ago, coppered last June, well found and can be sent to sea in a few days; also, American brig Saltillo, 3 years old, 162 tons register, 1500 bbls capacity, a very fast sailer, has a very full inventory, and 11,000 feet scantling and square timber, and 10,000 feet clear boards, which will be sold very low. cxlvii n

STORAGE! Storage!! Storage!!!—The subscribers would inform the public that they can take the bulk of four hundred tons on storage, at their commodious warehouse at the foot of California street. Lighters can lie alongside and discharge into the warehouse, thereby saving drayage. Terms moderate $6 per ton; 62½c for dry barrels, per month.
Whitney & Britton,
cxxv cA foot California st.

JUST RECEIVED—
Hanging papers
White paint
White lead
Wrought iron nails
Window glass in all sizes
Roofing slates
And for sale by Esche, Wapler & co, Spring street, two doors from california, between montgomery and Kearny streets. cxlii m

FLOUR—200 whole sacks chili flour, 800 half do do do, afloat, and for sale by
Cooke, Baker & co,
cxlvii n* foot of california st.

AUCTION SALES.

Wm. J. Sherwood, Auctioneer.

BY PAYNE & SHERWOOD.

Store No. 247 Montgomery street, between Jackson and Washington sts

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, MAY 18.

Brig Bee, at 11 o'clock, at their auction store—

The English brig Bee, as she now lies, at this port, 134 tons burthen, with masts, spars, sails, rigging, anchors, chains, &c, all complete. Can be seen and examined off Long Wharf. Inventory at auction room.

Also, 50 bbls sugar house syrup, 40 bbls molasses, 40,000 lbs sweet potatoes, 10 hf pipes cognac brandy, 50 ceroons figs, 90 bxs extra spm candles, 50 cases Eng dairy cheese. cxlvi c

Also, 800 doz fresh eggs, now landing, 50 bbls Tennent's bottled ale, 60 boxes cheese, 100 sacks rice.

Also, 30 qr casks madeira wine, 20 bxs gunpowder tea, 50 cases asstd cordials, 50 nests painted tubs, 30 bxs manfd tobacco, 40 pkgs dairy butter.

Also, an entire invoice fancy goods, ivory combs, &c, &c, 45 sacks paime chili flour, 1 splendid gold scales, complete. cxlviii

TUESDAY, MAY 21.

Billiard tables, &c. At 11 o'clock, at their auction store—

3 superior new billiard tables, with cues, balls, &c, all complete. May be examined previous to sale at our store. cxlvii

Also, cargo lumber consisting of 63,308 feet oak plank, 1 inch thick, 11,559 feet, 1½ inch do, 9843 feet, 2 inch do, 12,100 feet super oak scantling, 3½x4 and 4x5. Also, 9000 feet oak slabs for weatherboards, 11,488 feet very superior Guayaquil cedar plank, 100 pieces round timber, 25x30 ft long, the above lumber will be found worthy attention attention of dealers and boat builders cxlviii

WED'SDAY & THURSDAY, MAY 22 & 23.

Large and extensive sale, at 10 o'clock, in front of the premises of Messrs. Starkey, Janion & co, foot of california st, consisting of a great variety of general merchandize, viz, lumber, houses, carts, flour, hams, ale, porter, wines, &c, &c.

Also, Byass ale in casks and cases, manilla biscuit; cigars, &c.

Also, dry goods, rugs, satins, cotton hdkfs, fancy fringes, hosiery, cotton threads, white cotton, blankets, ponchos, &c, ready made clothing of all kinds, cloth caps, &c, boots and shoes of all kinds, hardware, such as castors, lamps, butts, hinges, knives, nails, &c, shoe brushes, paint and clothes do, comprising a large and extensive assortment of goods, too numerous to mention.

This sale will be worthy attention. Terms cash, sale positive. cxlvi

P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer.

BACKUS & HARRISON will sell at their sales room, montgomery st, between sacramento and california sts,

500 sacks flour in 100 lbs sacks, 100 bags coffee, 100 tins sardines, 300 bxs sperm candles, 450 pairs shoes, 100 do boots, 18 doz blue shirts, preserved meats, dried yeast, woollen socks, small wpe, carpets, perfumery, hats, couches, tables, blankets, chandelier lamps, and a variety of other merchandize. Sale at 10 o'clock. cxlvii

☞ Postponement—The above sale is postponed till Monday, the 20th, at 10 o'clock.

R. MEACHAM, Auctioneer,

MEACHAM & GIBBONS, Auctioneers Farm lands for sale at san Jose, at auction, Saturday morning, May 18th, at 10 o'clock, or immediately after our sale of merchandize at store,

20 lots, five acres each, beautifully located in the pueblo de san Jose, being lands No. 35, lying about midway between the city of san Jose and the Embarcadero, and is probably the highest land between those limits. It is now covered with trefoil and grasses of the best descriptions, which is ample evidence of its adaption to the purpose of agriculture. Terms of sale, cash; title good. cxlv

HENRY S. FITCH, Auctioneer.

FITCH & Co—Auction & Commission Merchants—Montgomery st, between Clay and Washington sts—Merchandise Sales Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sales of Real Estate, Lumber, Houses Vessels, &c. as occasion requires. At private sale house and store rooms. Also several vessels. Agents for the sale of Placer City Lots. Henry S. Fitch. Jas. M. Lemon. cxl

P. M SCOOFFY Auctioneer.

PRINTING PRESSES and Materials to be sold by Scooffy & Kelsey, on the arrival of the steamship Sarah Sands.

1 Newspaper Office complete; consisting of a super-royal press, type, and all the materials necessary for an entire establishment.

Also, 1 complete Job Office; consisting of an imperial No. 3 press and a full assortment of type, &c, suitable for the business.

The above establishments are from the well known house of James Conner & Son, type founders, New York; are entirely new and will be sold separately or together.

Schedules of particulars may be seen at the store of messrs De Witt & Harrison cxxix tf

MINERS on the Trinity—People desirous of visiting the Trinity diggings, whether from san Francisco or from other mines, are informed that outfits and animals can be obtained in abundance at Yuba City, which is believed to be the nearest point to the Trinity digging, (owing to the crookedness of the Sacramento river,) which can be reached by water. The distances are as follows;

From Yuba City to Yates' rancho	20 miles.
Yates' rancho to Neal's "	25
Neal's to Rio Chico	7
Rio Chico to Trinity diggings	95

The stage coach leaves Yuba City for the Feather river diggings on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. cxxv cA

SALMON & ELLIS, Pacific street, offer for sale, bricks, lumber, planed, grooved and tongued, scantling, shingles, one store 30x60, houses of superior construction, zinc for roofing, nails, clocks, saleratus, hardware, drugs, musquito net, champagne, port and madeira wine, tobacco, vinegar, pepper and tea, wheat, peas, beans, carpenter tools, wagons, carts, hand carts, wheelbarrows, harness, ox yoke, tar, window sashes. 8 tf

MAYNARD & Co. have taken the basement floor of the brick house in Washington street, near the water. They respectfully invite their friends to call and see them, where they will find their usual assortment of groceries, provisions, liquors, &c 7 do

EXPECTED HOURLY The ship Lord Hungerford, from Canton, with a splendidly assorted Chinese cargo
cxxv tf is Porter & co.

AUCTION SALES.

J. L. RIDDLE & CO., Auctioneers.

ON SATURDAY, May 18, at J. L. Riddle & co's, sales room, sacramento st, at 11 o'clock

A two story wooden house frame, complete, calculated for a ware house below, with six rooms in second story for a private residence, has a balcony, pannelled doors, windows, locks, hinges, bolts, nails, iron bars for windows, glass, &c, &c, &c. This building is 29 ft by 45 ft, and has about 35 m ft lumber in it. The plan, with specification, can be seen on applying to the auctioneers.

Also, 10,000 feet best lumber, sold to pay freight, and 10 m oak paling. cxlvii

J. L. RIDDLE & CO., Auctioneers.

THIS DAY, Saturday, May 18, at J. L. Riddle & co's sales room, foot of sacramento st, at 10 o'clock,

A large and extensive assortment of merchandize. cxlvii

Also, other goods, consisting of—4 iron safes, 50 doz wood seat chairs, 500 rolls of paper hangings, sacks flour, casks nails, cooking stoves, bbls and drums best Turkish tobacco, invoice mahogany and pine tables, linen sheetings, 150 boxes best family soap, 100 do tin plate, valuable coffee roaster, chests tea, 4000 lbs best Goshen butter in ten lb kegs, bxs sperm candles, shovels, cases brandy, small casks saleratus, bbls salmon, pilot bread, case preserved meats, lobsters, clams, sausages, &c, in cans; cases satins, silks, pongee hdk's, crape shawls, 10 sets harnesses, large lamp suitable for billiard saloon, 4 cases gold washers and numerous other goods.

Also, for account of whom it may concern, 15 cooking stoves, 11 office do, 140 lbs stove pipe, lot ten pin and balls.

Also, 31 packages lumber and one box sashes, comprising one house, one and a half stories high, 18 by 21 ft, New York built, planed, tongued and grooved, containing about 5000 ft lumber; a house 30 by 30, one story high, built of pine, all complete and highly finished with French windows, a plan of which will be shown at time of sale; to be delivered at North Beach. cxlviii

J. L. RIDDLE & CO., Auctioneers.

TWO ENTIRE Cargoes China goods, per Elizabeth Archer and Maid of Julpha.

On Wednesday next, May 22, at Macondray & co's new ware house, corner Pine and sansome sts, commencing at 10 o'clock.

Will be sold at public auction, two entire cargoes china goods, comprising the largest and best assortment ever offered in California, consisting of 500 13 lb boxes super wing yong souchong teas, 400 do do do do young hyson do, 200 6 lb do do do do do. cases silk scarfs, boxes preserved ginger, oranges and chow chow; 50 boxes, 4700 doz eggs, 13 lb packgs souchong tea, boxes pounded sugar candy, bags white china sugar, 1800 bags fine Bengal, best China and Calcutta table rice, casks fine table salt, cases do, cases chatney, cases jams and tart fruits, 150 cases china preserves, bbls peas, 10,000 eggs in salt and pickles, 12,000 in jars packed in salt and lime, 20 cases 16,431 do, cases 6 doz each Byass beer. Jamaica rum, best martel brandy in hhds and cases, cases French brandy, cases port wine, sherry, hock, claret and bitters, cases olive oil, do vinegar, lucifer matches, water filters, red and blue flannel shirts, white do, extension, bamboo, easy and arm chairs, covered; portable card and other tables, many beautifully inlaid portable couches and sofas with cushions, portable and drawing room chairs, bamboo stools, bedsteads, wardrobe, camphor trunks, wash stands, mirrors and pier glasses, vases, sideboards with marble tops, book cases, carriages, harnesses, saddles, bridles and whips, gold dust and carpet bags, guns and pistols, table cutlery, sets castors, decanters, tumblers, wines, china and calcutta cigars, spittoons, clocks, blue and white blankets, tins paint and jars oil, steelyards, scales and weights, sashes and bandannas, rolls matting, do paper, chinese paintings, pictures and engravings, china fire-places, large lot china ware, 200 baskets potatoes, yams, broadcloths, velvets, mats.

Also, wooden houses complete, oak doors, windows, locks and everything pertaining to the same, a large assortment of every description hardware, carpenters tools, tacks, nails, &c, plated candlesticks, together with other goods, too numerous to particularize.

Also, one billiard table complete.

Catalogues of the whole will be prepared and the goods ready for examination the day previous to sale. cxlviii

J. L. RIDDLE & CO, Auctioneers.

ON TUESDAY next, at J. L. Riddle & co's sales room, sacramento st, commencing at 11 o'clock,

The following goods to pay freight and charges, viz: one wagon shipped by Peter McIntire & co, consigned to A. S. Bass; one frame house, shipped by Edward Brown, and consigned to order; one box merchandize and one hand cart, shipped by J. M. Stanyan, and consigned to order; one wagon, marked Elisha Andrews. Sold by order of John Lord.
cxlviii master ship Reindeer.

VALUABLE Property to Lease at Auction—Will be leased at public auction on Wednesday, May 22d, at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, for a term of four years from the 1st of June, 1850,

Three lots of land, with the buildings thereon, on Pacific st, near Dupont, each lot being 45 ft 10 inches on Pacific st, running back 137½ ft; said property being the 50 vara lot No. —, belonging to the estate of the late Verdiman Bennett.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold, a lot of bar and eating-house furniture, crockery, tumblers, crockery ware, &c, &c.

Also, unless previously called for, a lot of chests and contents on storage. Per order of Administrator.
cxlvi tds Wm. G. Kettelle, Auction'r

COLLINS AUCTION WAREHOUSE. Having completed his large warehouse on Sansome street, between Jackson and Washington sts, the undersigned is now prepared to sell at auction or private sale, ships, cargoes, real estate, and all kinds of merchandise in general. His wharf and warehouse are accessible by lighters at nearly all tides, admitting, without expense of wharfage or cartage to purchaser or consigner, of the landing or reshipping of goods, an item, in this city, of no inconsiderable amount. Liberal advances on consignments. Goods stored at the usual rates. Gold dust bought. Exchange on Boston, New York and New Orleans.
John A. Collins.
Mr. E. H. Castle, General Agent.
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STOLEN—In New Orleans on the night of February 9th, ultimo, a certificate of deposit for $2000, dated san Francisco, December 31, 1849, drawn by Henry M. Naglee in favor of Sewel Foster. All persons are hereby warned against negociating the said certificate, payment upon the same having been stopped.
civ tf Henry M. Naglee.

AN ACT

FOR THE BETTER REGULATION OF THE MINES, AND THE GOVERNMENT OF FOREIGN MINERS.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. No person who is not a native or naturalized citizen of the United States, or who may not have become a citizen under the treaty of Guadaloupe Hidalgo, (all native California Indians excepted,) shall be permitted to mine in any part of this State, without having first obtained a license so to do according to the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 2. The Governor shall appoint a Collector of licenses to foreign miners for each of the mining counties, and for the county of San Francisco, who, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take the oath required by the Constitution, and shall give his bond to the State with at least two good and sufficient sureties, conditioned for the faithful performance of his official duties, which bond shall be approved by the Governor and filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Sec. 3. Each Collector of licenses to foreign miners shall be commissioned by the Governor.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller to cause to be printed or engraved a sufficient number of licenses, which shall be numbered consecutively, and shall be in form following, to wit:

"Number , (Date.) A. B., a citizen of , age years, complexion , is hereby licensed to work in the mines of California for the period of thirty days."

The Comptroller shall countersign each of such licenses, and shall transfer them to the Treasurer, keeping an account of the number so transferred.

Sec 5. The Treasurer shall sign and deliver to each Collector of licenses to foreign miners so many of the licenses mentioned in the preceding section as he shall deem proper, and shall take his receipt for the same and charge him therewith. Such Collector and his sureties shall be liable upon his bond for the number so furnished him, either for their return or the amount for which they may be sold; and the moneys collected, as herein provided, shall be paid into the treasury as prescribed in this Act.

Sec. 6. Every person required by the first section of this Act to obtain a license to mine, shall apply to the Collector of licenses to foreign miners and take out a license to mine, for which he shall pay the sum of twenty dollars per month; and such license may from time to time take out a new license, at the same rate per month, until the Governor shall issue his proclamation announcing the passage of a law by Congess, regulating the mines of precious metals in this State.

Sec. 7. If any such foreigner or foreigners shall refuse or neglect to take out such license by the second Monday of May next, it shall be the duty of the Collector of licenses to foreign miners of the county in which such foreigner or foreigners shall be, to furnish his or their names to the Sheriff of the county, or to any Deputy Sheriff, whose duty it shall be to summon a *posse* of American citizens, and, if necessary, forcibly prevent him or them from continuing such mining operations.

Sec. 8. Should such foreigner or foreigners, after having been stopped by a Sheiff or Deputy Sheriff from mining in one place, seek a new location and continue such mining operations, it shall be deemed a misdemeanor, for which such offender or offenders shall be arrested as for a misdemeanor, and he or they shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding three months, and fined not more than one thousand dollars.

Sec. 9 Any foreigner who may obtain a license in conformity with the provisions of this Act, shall be allowed to work the mines anywhere in this State, under the same regulations as citizens of the United States.

Sec. 10. It shall be the duty of each Collector of licenses to foreign miners to keep a full and complete register of the names and description of all foreigners taking out licenses, and a synopsis of all such licenses, to be returned to the Treasurer.

Sec. 11. Each license, when sold, shall be endorsed by the Collector selling or issuing the same, and shall be in no case transferable; and the Collector may retain out of the money received for each licese, the sum of three dollars, which shall be the full amount of his compensation.

Sec. 12. Each Collector of licenses to foreign miners shall, once in every two months, and oftener, if called upon by the Treasurer, proceed to the seat of government, settle with the Treasurer, pay over to that officer all moneys collected from foreigners not before paid over, and account with him for the unsold licenses remaining in his hands.

Sec. 13 If any Collector shall neglect or refuse to perform his duty as herein provided, it shall be the duty of the Comptroller, upon receiving a notice thereof from the Treasurer, to give information thereof to the District Attorney in whose district said officer may have been appointed, who shall bring an action against such Collector and his sureties upon his bond, before any court of competent jurisdiction; and upon recovery had thereon, the said District Attorney shall receive for his services ten per cent. upon the amount collected, the balance to be paid by him into the treasury in the manner provided by law for like payments.

Sec. 14. It shall be the duty of the Governor, so soon as he shall have been officially informed of the passage of a law by the United States Congress, assuming the control of the mines of the State, to issue his proclamation, requiring all Collectors of licenses to foreign miners to stop the issuing of licenses.

Sec. 15. It shall be the duty of the Governor of State, immediately after the passage of this Act, to have two thousand copies each, in English and Spanish, printed and sent to the mining districts for circulation among the miners, and also to have the same published for thirty days in the Pacific News at san Francisco, and in some newspaper at Sacramento City and at Stockton.

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGAL,
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, April 13, 1850.
PETER H. BURNETT.

Office of Secretary of State,
SAN JOSE, April 13, 1850.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original Act, now on file in this office. W. VAN VOORHIES,
Secretary of State.

Sacramento Transcript and Stockton Times copy once a week for thirty days, and send all papers containing the same to Secretary of State, San Jose.
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AN ACT

TO PREVENT THE IMPORTATION OF CONVICTS INTO THIS STATE.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Sec 1. No captain or master of any vessel, or any other person or persons shall knowingly or willingly import, bring or send, or cause or procure to be imported, brought or sent, or be aiding or assisting therein, into this State, by land or water, any felon, convict or person under sentence of death or transportation, or any other legal disability incurred by a criminal prosecution, except for treason, or who shall be delivered or sent to him from any prison or place of confinement in any place without this State.

Sec. 2. Every person who shall offend against any of the provisions of the preceding section, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail, for a term not less than three months, and shall forfeit and pay moreover the sum of one thousand dollars for each of such convicts so imported, brought or sent into this State; one half of which penalty shall go to him or her who shall sue or prosecute for the same, and the other half to the county in which such prosecution shall be had.

Sec. 3. This act to take effect and be in force from and after thirty days' publication of the same in the "Pacific News."

JOHN BIGLER,
Speaker of the House of Assembly.
JOHN McDOUGALL,
President of the Senate.

Approved, April 11th, 1850.
cxlvii us PETER H. BURNETT.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of san Francisco, state of California, to me directed, in the case of Edward E. Dunbar against the First Alcalde and Council of the town of san Francisco, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said Dunbar for $25,000, and $1,614 50 costs of suit, there will be sold at public auction; in front of the Alcalde's office, Portsmouth square, on Friday, May the 31st inst., at 11 o'clock, A. M., of said day, the following valuable city lots, to wit:

City lots levied on by this execution, May 7th, 1850:

Fifty Vara Lots.

Nos. 301 345 346 352 357 358 462 464 506 568 588 589 590 591 592 593 594 597 598 635 637 638 639 640 641 642 644 645 646 647 648 663 729 731 732 733 736 740 741 749 831 832 833 834 835 842 857 858 859 860 861 880 881 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 925 946 947 952 953 970 1021 1022 1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1069 1070 1071 and 1072.

One Hundred Vara Lots.

Nos. 155 156 159 160 161 162 163 164 168 169 170 174 175 176 191 201 and 203.

Beach and Water Lots, 45 feet 10 inches in front, by 137 feet 6 inches in depth, more or less.

Nos 290 291 292 301 302 309 311 312 313 319 320 321 322 326 352 371 372 420 421 422 424 445 446 447 448 449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457 463 508 509 510 511 514 515 516 517 534 580 588 606 611 618 652 653 654 655 678 682 719 721 724 726 767 770 and 772.

And the following Fifty Vara Lots.

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John C. Hays, sheriff.
9 os by John S. Powers, dep'ty sh'ff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of san Francisco, and state of California, to me directed, in the case of Victor Leroy and Henry Raymond against the Ayuntamiento or Common Council of san Francisco, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said Leroy and Raymond, against the said Ayuntamiento or common council for the sum of $22,216 00, and the sum of $426 00 costs, there will be sold at public auction, in front of the Alcalde's office, Portsmouth square, on Friday, May 31st inst., at 11 o'clock, A. M., of said day, the following valuable city lots, to wit:

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Nos. 155 156 159 160 161 162 163 164 168 169 170 174 175 176 191 201 and 203.

Beach and Water Lots, 45 feet 10 inches in front by 137 feet 6 inches in depth, more or less.

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John C. Hays, sheriff,
9 os by John S. Powers, dep'ty sh'ff.

100 KEGS Cut nails, 40 bbls mess beef, 30 do prime pork, 100 wheelbarrows, 10,000 ft plank and boards, invoices tin ware, do crockery, do hardware, 5 bbls charcoal, 4000 bricks.

Also, 1 pile driver, weigher apparatus, gig boat, blacksmith's forge and bellows, the cargo of brig Reindeer. For sale by
Geo N. Shaw & co,
cxlvii j Battery st, foot of Pine st.

EMPIRE CITY.

FOR Sonorian Camp, Wood's Diggings, Sullivan's, Hawkins's and Don Pedro's Bars, head waters of Tuolumne, Mercedes, and Mariposa Rivers; also, to head waters of san Joaquin and King's River. FREIGHT OR PASSAGE TO EMPIRE CITY, TUOLUMNE. DURFEE & TOWNSEND have established a daily line of sailing vessels from san Francisco to the above city, situated on the south-easterly bank of the Tuolumne river, thirty-five miles above its mouth, and are prepared to carry freight or passengers.

This route is the only one which can be really said to extend, by water, to the very gold field. The city stands at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, where the low hills of the Sierra Nevada meet the plains of the san Joaquin, and is not only accessable by sufficient water at all seasons of the year, but the roads to the mines, from that point, are good in wet or dry weather. Goods shipped to Empire City, Tuolumne, save from 25 to 60 miles of land carriage over any other depot for that gold region, avoiding soft roads, expensive ferriage, and personal discomfort.

Persons shipping goods, or taking passage, may rely upon promptness in dispatch, speed in transit, and great saving in time and expense.

For freight or passage, apply to messrs. Turner, Fish & co., foot of Jackson street, san Francisco, or to the subscribers, Empire City, Tuolumne. April 29, 1850.
cxxxii tf Durfee & Townsend.

EMPIRE AND CRESCENT CITIES.

THE survey of this town being completed at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, and numerous lots sold and houses erected, designed originally to bear the name of Crescent city, the subscribers, owners of lots in said town, learning that a plot of ground on the northwesterly bank of said river, two miles below, surveyed and laid out last year, still insists upon its rights and advantages as a place for a city, have concluded to leave to the town plot alluded to the beautiful name of Cresent city, and adopt one quite as appropriate, if not so beautiful.—Henceforth, therefore, we claim the name of Empire city. The map will be deposited in the proper offices, and the change in name noted.

Empire city stands on the southeasterly bank of the Tuolumne river, and is the only point accessible by water at all seasons, immediately contiguous to the gold fields of Tuolumne, Merced, Mariposa and San Joaquin rivers. It is at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, 35 miles from its mouth. Those persons wishing a settlement in the country are desired to visit it, and examine its advantages over any of its competitors. Signed—Philo Durfee, Edwin D. Townsend, Wm. J. Marcy, W. H. Willson, Joseph E. Miller, Wm. M Rowlett, Thomas J. L. Smiley, David Turner, Edward S. Townsend, Edward Conway, Henry E Perrine, J. B. Lattimer.
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LEONARD & TAY offer for sale at the lowest market prices—Mess and prime pork, mess beef, barley, chili flour in sacks, Am. do in bbls, hams, lard, cheese, butter in small kegs, brown and white sugars, molasses, coffee, pilot bread, soda and butter crackers in tin boxes, green and black tea, raisins, dried apples, candles, saleratus, soap, pickles, vinegar and salt, with a variety of other articles in the provision and produce line, all of the best quality, and in desirable packages—which they request miners and others desiring to purchase, to call and examine at their store, foot of Washington street, fronting the bay. cvi tf

E. DELACOURT BLYTH has removed from foot of Washington street to No. 244 west side montgomery st, brick house known as Howard Hotel, 3 doors from Jackson street, where, to his former business of importer of iron mongery and other American and English manufactures, he has added an assortment of provisions, groceries, and other goods of general consumption in this market, and those of the mining districts.

A good billiard table for sale. Two upper stories of Howard House for rent.

Highest market price paid for gold dust.
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WOODWORTH & MORRIS, shipping and commission merchants, clay st. wharf. Frederic A. Woodworth, Charles A. Morris. Strict attention paid to the purchase, sale, freight or charter of ships and vessels, and sale of ships, cargoes and merchandize generally The locality of their warehouse admits of goods being landed, and again re-shipped, without expense of cartage, thus saving an important item of charges, both to consignees and purchasers. Gold dust bought at the highest market rates. Drafts on N. York for sale, in sums to suit purchasers. Storage for every description of merchandize.
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C. BARRETT'S Crockery and General store, wholesale and retail, Kearny st, opposite City Hotel, next door to the circus. A general assortment crockery, glassware, cutlery, &c, &c, everything proper and necessary for furnishing hotels, restaurants, steamboats, &c, &c. Also, a large stock of matting of the best description, 4-4 and 5-4, martel's brandy, pure madeira wine, direct from the London docks; sherry, whisky, chairs, sperm candles, wash hand stands, butter, etc. etc.

Orders received and attended to, and prices charged as low, if not lower, than to the parties present.
cxliii cA* Charles Barrett.

STOVES, tin and sheet iron ware, groceries, liquors, &c. Brooks & Friel, Battery street, near Broadway, (Clark's Point) would inform the public that they keep a large assortment of stoves, tin and sheet iron ware, groceries, liquors, and a general assortment of merchandise suited to the mining trade, which they will sell as reasonable for cash as can be obtained elsewhere in this country. Importing and manufacturing themselves, they are confident of being able to sell on satisfactory terms. Brooks & Friel,
xcviii uA Battery st, Clark's Point.

NOTICE—All persons are hereby warned against purchasing or renting of the assignees of Ward & co., any of the property, Nos. 278 and 282 montgomery street, the same belonging to me.

Henry M. Naglee.
san Francisco, April 20 '50. cxxvi tf

RABBETED SIDING—10,000 ft rabbeted siding, boards —— green window blinds, landed and for sale by
Cooke, Baker & co,
cxlvi n* california st.

TO OREGON Merchants and retail traders—Just received, per ship Samuel Russel, a large assortment of fine clothing, suitable for the Oregon market, which will be sold cheap in lots to suit purchasers, to close the consignment.

John W. Davis,
montgomery st, next door to Pacific st.
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NEW DAILY Evening Paper in san Francisco—ROBERT D. FOY proposes to establish a daily newspaper in the city of san Francisco, to be issued every afternoon. The design of the paper will be to afford a reliable medium of information on all subjects of general and local interest: also to give full and accurate commercial and shipping intelligence up to the hour of publication each day. In a commercial community like ours, the utility of an evening paper, that will place the transactions of the day before the public immediately, must be apparent.

While the principal aim will be to give to the patrons of the proposed paper all the advantages of a strictly business publication, it should be understood that on questions of a political character, it will always be found a decided advocate of the principles and measures of the great democratic party of the Union.

The first number will appear on or about the first day of June next.

TERMS—$25 per annum, when delivered to city subscribers at their residences, or $20 when mailed—payable in advance. Advertisements inserted at the usual rates. cxl tf

THIS DAY landing from ship Reindeer, and bark Chester, the following desirable goods:

48 cases heavy and light boots
30 " " " brogans
6 " ladies buskins and slippers
100 dozen red and blue wool shirts
200 " woolen and cotton socks
200 " wool wrappers and drawers
1000 pairs assorted pants
200 reefing jackets
100 dozen guernsey frocks
5 bales blankets, assorted colors
30 casks London porter
10 do Boston hams; 30 kegs butter
200 gallons pickles in kegs
50 dozen sack hammers
25 spring balances.

Also, gents furnishing goods, silk and cotton handkerchiefs, fine white and fancy shirts, accordions; together with a great variety of other articles, for sale by
Simmons, Lilly & co,
cxiii tf Sacramento and Sansome sts.

NOTICE—The undersigned have opened an office in the building now occupied by messrs. Baldwin & co, south side of Portsmouth square, and will be prepared to receive gold dust for smelting and assaying on Monday, the 13th inst, in accordance with the provisions of a law passed by the Legislature of this State, April 20th, 1850.

In making this announcement, we beg leave to state that, desiring to establish the office at the earliest practicable moment, our arrangements are necessarily less complete than they otherwise would have been. Nevertheless, we trust they will be found sufficient to meet the wants of the community.

O. P. Sutton, Director.
F. D. Kohler, Assayer.
San Francisco, May 10th, 1850.
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LUMBER and TIMBER. J. & J. Williams having a Saw Mill in operation in the Red Wood, would respectfully inform the citizens of san Francisco that they have appointed T. H. Green their Agent in this place, where they may leave their orders for all kinds of Lumber or Timber, sawed to any size, or both round and hewed, with an assurance of having them filled without delay. lxxix uA

PIONEER BOOK STORE—A select assortment of fine mercantile stationery of every description. Account books and memorandums of excellent quality, miscellaneous books, &c; Capt. Ringgold's charts of Suisun Bay, for sale in Clay st, on Portsmouth square. Marvin & Hitchcock,

Merchants and others visiting san Francisco, are invited to call and examine our stock. cxiii

EARL, MACKINTOSH & CO., wholesale dealers in provisions, Washington street, have received by recent arrivals—

50 bbls molasses, 50 do dried apples, 200 doz pickles, 50 do tomato catsup, 100 boxes ground pepper, 500 boxes cheese, 50 do Wolsey & co's loaf sugar, 1000 do malaga raisins, 1000 do saleratus, 10 lbs each, 35 cases sardines, 50 doz canoyosters, 100 boxes lemon syrup, 500 do ale and porter; 100 do cider. cxv

PACIFIC BATHS—This establishment is now opened at No. 273 montgomery st, for the accommodation of the public, well furnished with all the conveniences which tend to make bathing a luxury. The proprietors have spared no pains or expense to make it all it should be, truly hoping to merit the patronage of a generous public. Baths (warm or cold) in readiness at call, from 8 A.M. to 11 P.M. Single bath, $1.50, or tne tickets for $10. cxxii tf

LENDICOTT, Greene & Oakes offer for sale the entire cargo of bark Ardennes, consisting of 110,000 ft of scantling, 3x9, and 18 to 22 ft long; 30,000 ft 1 inch boards, 9 inches wide, averaging 21 ft in length, and 37,000 best cypress shingles, 20 inches long.

Also, 20 tons Newcastle coal,
First st, near market st, on the Beach.
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DONALD FRASER,
Attorney at Law & Solicitor,
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CLAY STREET. cxl tf

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TO THE PUBLIC.

SEMI-WEEKLY PAPER AT MARYSVILLE.

THE UNDERSIGNED is about to establish a semi-weekly newspaper at the town of Marysville, under the title of the MARYSVILLE HERALD. In politics its position will be independent. Bound to none, it will lend what influence it may have to all such measures as the necessities of the State may demand, without regard to their origin. It will aim to be a medium of correct information from the Northern mines, in the very heart of which it is to be published; while, as an instrument by which men of business in San Francisco and Sacramento city, can make themselves known to their REAL customers, it will have no superior in California, for its circulation will be confined almost wholly to the miners, upon whom the merchants and dealers must to a large extent rely for their success. For the miners, who are unable to obtain papers from the Atlantic States, full abstracts of all important sayings and doings at home will be given, together with whatever else occasion and fitness may demand. It is proposed to issue the first number on or about the first of June.

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MARYSVILLE, May 16. cxlvii

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The public are informed that the hospital is now open for the reception of patients.

The public authorities of the city of san Francisco, who have charge of the city poor, citizens, and all persons not entitled to hospital privileges, are also informed that patients will be admitted at this hospital for the moderate sum of $2 75 cents per day, including board, lodging, and medical attendance.

For admission, apply at the Hospital, to the Resident Physician.

Lorenzo Hubbard, M. D.
Resident Physician.

N. B. No patient laboring under an infectious or contagious disease will be treated at this Hospital, but will be provided for elsewhere. cxli uA

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